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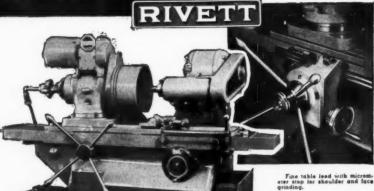
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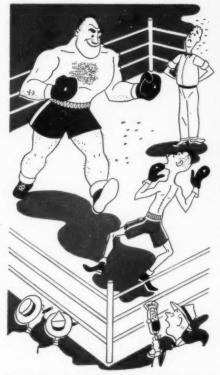
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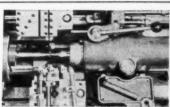
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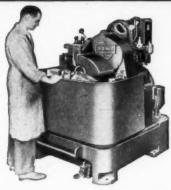
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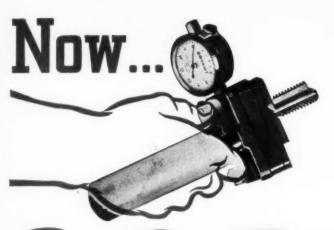
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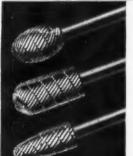
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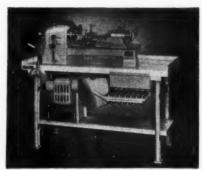
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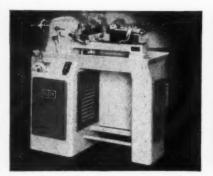
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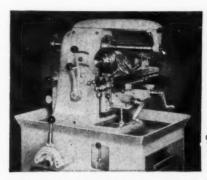
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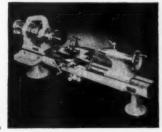


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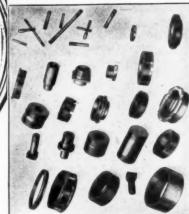
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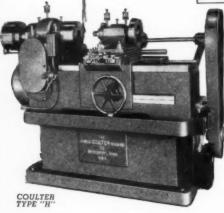
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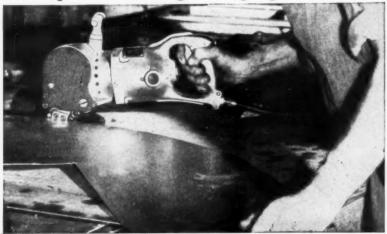


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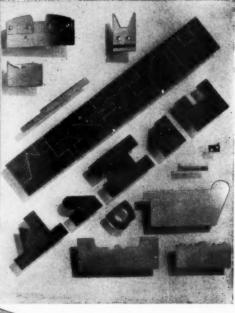
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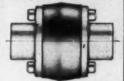
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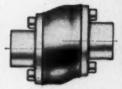
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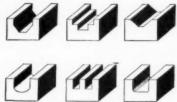
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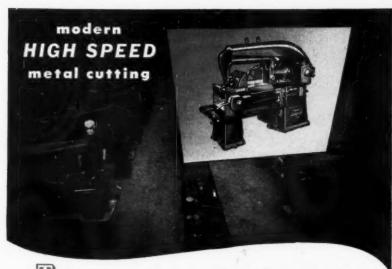
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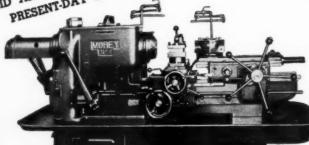


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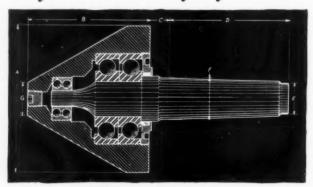
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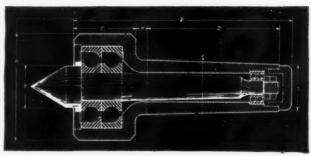
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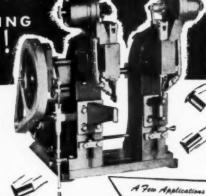
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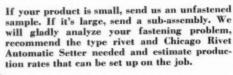
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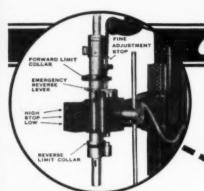
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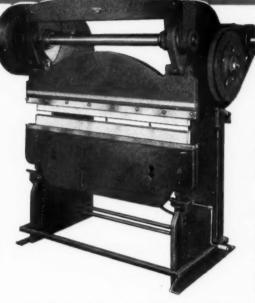
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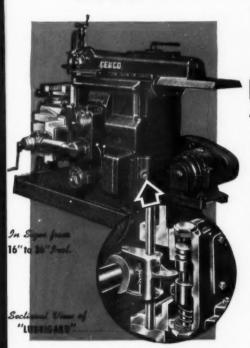
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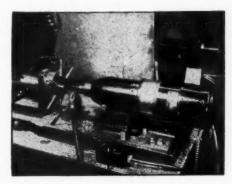
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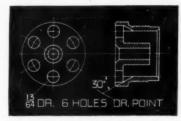


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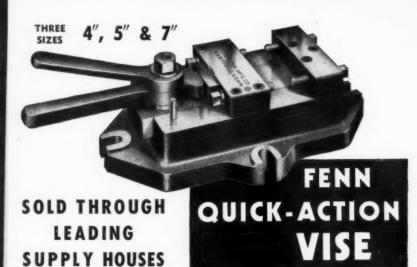


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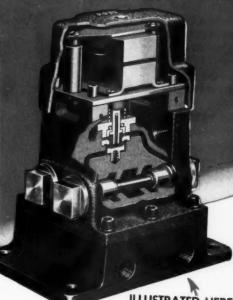


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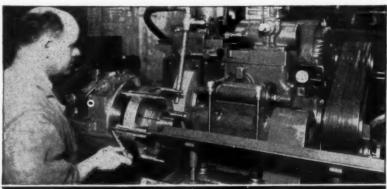
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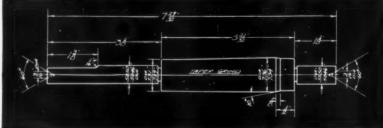
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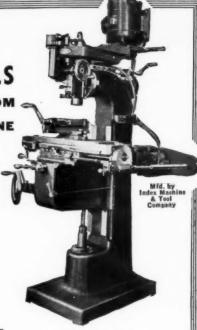
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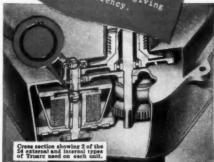
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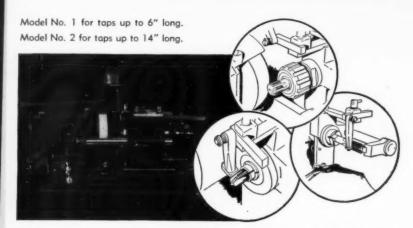
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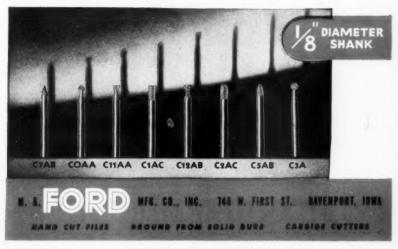
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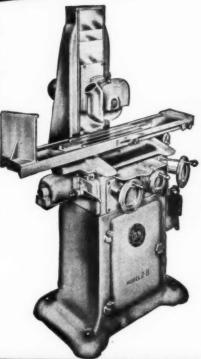
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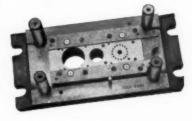
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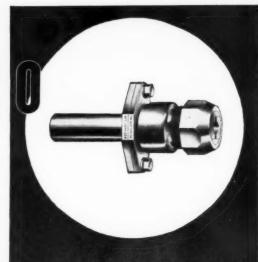
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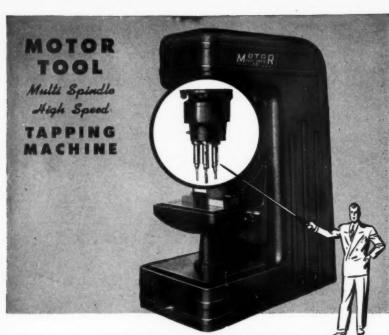
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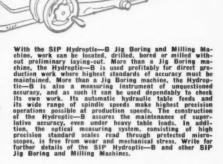


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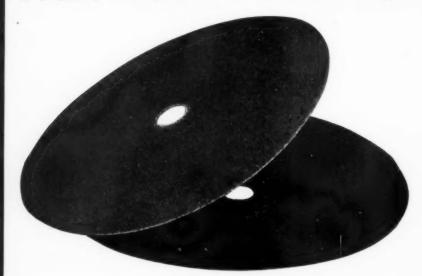
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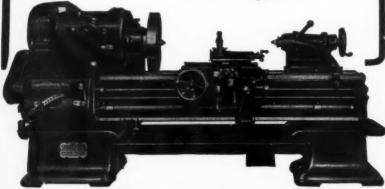
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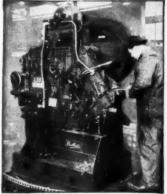
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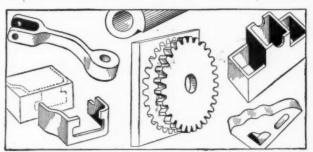
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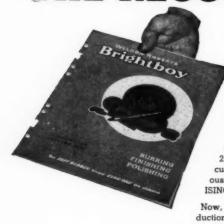


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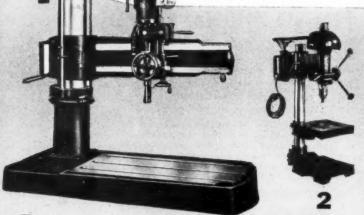
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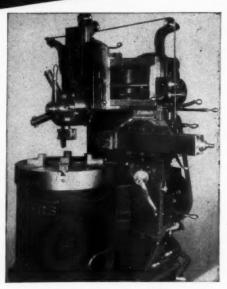
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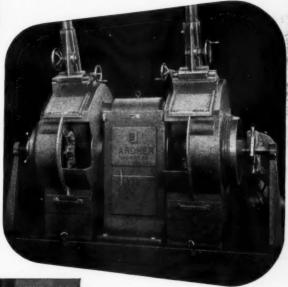


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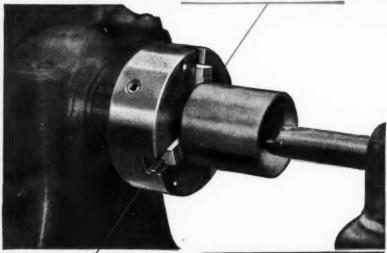


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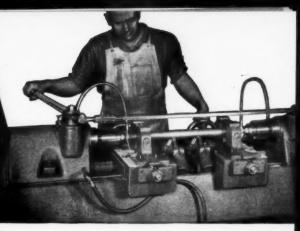


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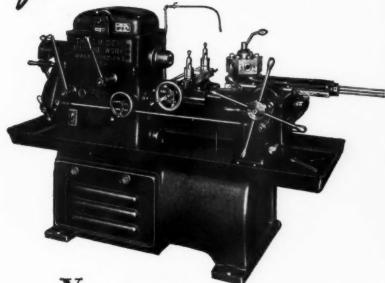
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as The Editor Sees It

THE danger of inflation and higher prices can be avoided by cutting costs of production thru utilization of more efficient production equipment such as machine tools. That was what William P. Kirk, President of the National Machine Tool Builders' Association told members at their recent spring meeting. Continuing he said:

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"What counts is the machine's ability to multiply the output of the individual worker. We must learn to stop talking about mechanisms and concentrate on results in terms of output per day, per man. Our whole story must be one of increased productivity which in turn permits manufacturers to reach better markets at lower prices, increase the volume of business, and employ more men.

"Only by employing this sales psychology will we be successful in overcoming what I term the secondary resistance to machine tool sales. By this I mean the resistance of some leaders of organized labor to the full utilization of machines capable of increased productivity.

"In past years the owners of a manufacturing enterprise were the only people we had to sell. We didn't have to worry about the employees. But today we have to sell the employees, as well as the owners, if our new and better machine tools are to be bought and utilized to their fullest possible extent.

"You and I know, that in many cases and in many plants it has been impossible for the manufacturers to get out of our new machine tools, the full measure of productivity that has been built into them. Why?

"Because somebody says—Hold down the number of pieces produced per hour. Slow down the machine. Don't let that machine produce what it really can produce.

"What is the reasoning behind this strange philosophy?

"The fact is, workers have been sold by the unions, and by various leftwing crack-pot economists, on the idea that better machines destroy jobs.

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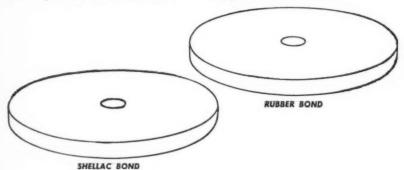
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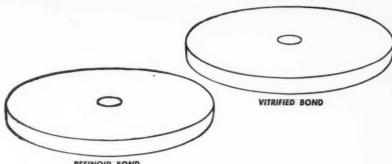
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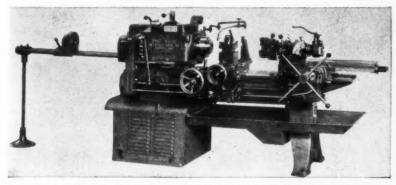
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PART III. — CHUCKS AND ALLIED EQUIPMENT By JOHN E. HYLER

HOLDING devices as used for bar stock have been considered in the preceding article. Methods employed for holding chucked work vary much more. Hydraulic and pneumatic chucking devices are used to a great extent, tho they are by no means universally adaptable. Shops installing turret lathes should give careful consideration to their entire range of turret lathe work,

and especially to that proportion of the work which might be considered producible either from bar stock, or from forgings or castings. It is a fact that some plants are producing work from bar stock that could be made advantageously from forgings or from castings. In some instances, the reverse is also true. In general, a decision as to whether parts will be turned from bar

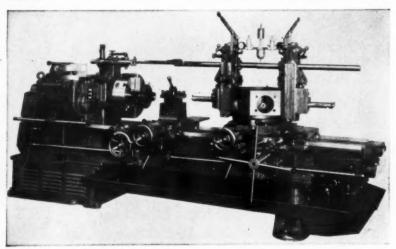


You will observe a lead screw for the carriage on front of this Acme-Cincinnati turret lathe, which is fitted with a thread chasing attachment, and is shown tooled with a new type of high speed roller rest turners. The machine is of ram type, and the turret saddle can be bolted in any position along the hardened ways. It has a bar stock capacity of 2" on round stock.

stock, or produced from forgings or castings, should be based on machining time involved, over against cost of the material. While the cost of forgings is greater than that of bar stock, less material has to be removed from forgings. because they are made to approximately the required shape. There naturally comes a point, then, where the savings in machine and operator time will fully offset the added cost of material. Other things being equal, parts made in small-sized lots often will be made from bar stock, while large lot sizes can be made more profitably from forgings.

machining. It is evident that where pieces of given diameter are to be machined from bar stock, turret lathes having spindle bores sufficiently large to pass the stock thru must be employed, while much smaller machines can be used for turning chucked forgings or castings, of the same finish diameter.

Arbors of expanding type are often used for holding work with small internal bores. Internally **threaded** work, which is to be turned on the outside, is secured on special threaded arbors designed for the purpose, an endwise

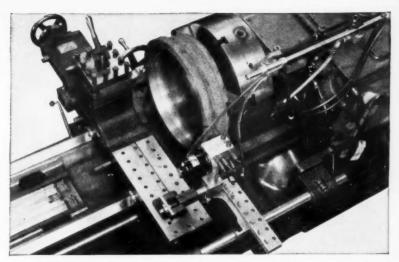


An interesting turret lathe operation, in which the Acme-Cincinnati turret lathe used has a cross sliding, hollow hexagon turret, capable of being used for contour boring of molds. The lathe is equipped with an overhead air operated profiling attachment with master cam holding bar in swivel. Profiling attachment can be seen above the hexagon turret.

There is a direct bearing on the size of turret lathe that will be needed, based on size of the pieces and selection of material for turnings. Smaller machines always can be employed in cases where forgings or castings are used, which are chucked for

motion of the arbor being provided, by one means or another, to clamp the work tightly against the face of the arbor. Thus, it cannot turn further on the threading, while the material is in the cut.

It is chucked work, however, which



View of Cincinnati Acme, fixed center hollow hexagon turret lathe from the back, showing a Detroit Hydro Electric Duplicator attachment to the universal slide carriage, and in use for facing the contour shown in the work. Photos, courtesy Acme Machine Tool Co., Cincinnati)

presents the greatest array of workholding problems, because there is so much variation in this work as a general class, not to be found in either bar-type work, or in smaller work that is internally bored. The various problems encountered have led to the development of many standard and special chucks and chucking devices. Where workpieces are always regular and round, the so-called universal chucks are generally preferred among handoperated chucks. These are made in different designs, but have the advantage that all of the chuck jaws incorporated, move together. In cases where the chucking surface of the part is not exactly concentric with the portion to be machined, and where the quantity to be machined is small, independent chucks are employed, allowing each of the chuck jaws to be independently adjusted, as the need may appear, for lining up the work properly. So-called

combination chucks are also used by some, which allow each jaw to be moved independently when desired, but which also have provision for moving all of the jaws at once. Different chuck builders will supply any of these chucks that may be desired.

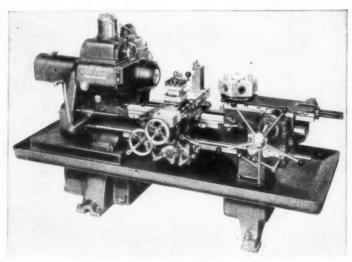
It is interesting to observe, in this connection, that different companies have developed chucks of wrenchless type, in which the simple pull of a lever locks the workpiece into the chuck. This naturally speeds the chucking process considerably. Chucks of this kind are adaptable for a diversified line of work, ranging from small brass castings to heavy forgings. The hand lever used for closing the chuck, and opening it, does not revolve. It operates a cam thru differential gearing, and the arrangement is such that the jaws may be opened or closed while the chuck is revolving. Also, the gripping pressure of the jaws

may be made stronger, or lessened, while the machine spindle is revolving. The center of the wrenchless chuck is open, so that bar stock can be handled, if and when desired. Such chucks are very convenient in many cases, tho they are not recommended for very high spindle speeds.

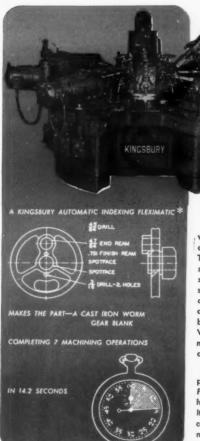
Hand chucking operations on large work have always been very tiring, and there is little doubt that on many turret lathe jobs, operators have accomplished considerably less work as a result of excess effort expended in this direction. It is very interesting to note that one of the leading builders of turret lathes has developed an electric collet chuck booster, in which tightening of the collet on large bar work is performed by a motor, operating thru a worm drive and a multiple-disc clutch. Using this booster, a woman can tighten a collet on

large bars, where formerly all the strength of a man was required for the purpose. Incidentally, the booster layout incorporates a safety link arrangement, so that damage cannot be done to the mechanism thru over-tightening. The device can be installed quickly. It is not usable, however, on machines having lead screw threading gear boxes.

Another device which saves the operator much effort on heavy chucking usually performed with a hand wrench, is known as a power chuck wrench. This device may be applied to any standard machine, and its operation is very simple. There is a handle which is pulled by the operator. Pulling this handle engages the wrench with the chuck, and turning it applies power to the wrench. This type of power wrench can be used on bar work, as well as on



Here is a universal Warner & Swasey turret lathe of the ram type, having a collet chuck capacity for 23" round bar stock. The geared headstock of this machine provides 12 speeds. Atop the geared headstock can be seen the "Preselector" mentioned in this series, by means of which the next spindle speed desired can be selected in advance, and then the speed change can be made by the single shift lever shown.



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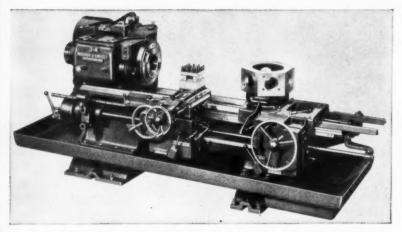
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A highly competent heavy-duty Warner & Swasey turret lathe of saddle type is shown in this illustration. It can be obtained with a spindle capacity for round bar stock either 4½" or 6" in diameter. Still larger machines are available which will handle round bar stock as large as 12" diameter. 16 different tool feeds are provided for both the square and the hexagon turret.

actual chucking. The gripping pressure delivered is regulated by a transformer. Therefore, delicate work can be chucked and held without distortion, using this wrench, if necessary.

Revolving-jaw chucks save multiple handling on parts having several faces to be machined on the turret lathe. Valve bodies and similar work, in particular, are often machined while held in this type of chuck, and for that reason, they are often called valve chucks. Ball bearing valve chucks are available from some makers as standard equipment, in a wide range of sizes. In order that the jaws holding the workpiece may be revolved exactly the correct amount, they are fitted with index plates, usually arranged to index on 90° spacing. It is obvious, however, that the spacing on such index plates may be made whatever a given type of work may demand.

Chuck Jaws

The type of chuck jaws that will be used, in machining any given type of work on the turret lathe that is chuckheld, is a matter requiring careful consideration in many instances. Various kinds of top jaws, as they are termed, may be attached to the primary or master jaws, which are held in the main chuck body. Jaws used for gripping rough surfaces of castings or forgings are made hard, and serrations are ground into them, leaving fairly sharp edges or points, that have considerable "biting power", so they penetrate the rough work sufficiently to hold it from turning against the leverage of a heavy cut. Work which is chucked a second time in the turret lathe, using a previously-turned surface for engagement with the chuck jaws, must be held with soft jaws, that will not mar the work surface. Soft jaws, often spoken of as second-operation chuck jaws, must fit

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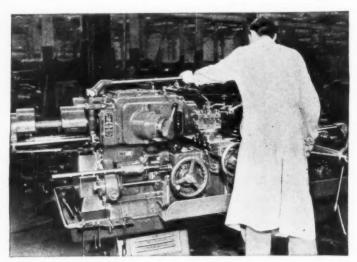
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the contour of the work perfectly in many instances, in order to obtain the maximum amount of gripping efficiency with a reasonable amount of pressure. In order to insure that they will fit the workpieces perfectly, the gripping portions of the jaws are bored (or turned, in the case of internal-gripping jaws) in place on the chuck. The jaws must be clamped on a disc, or in a ring, with approximately the same pressure with which they will engage the stock, while they are being trued.

be chucked to advantage. Where work is of irregular shape, it is very often the case that a faceplate is mounted on the turret lathe spindle, and a fixture, which has been designed and built to hold the work, is attached to this faceplate. Various kinds of indexing fixtures are developed for use in this connection, in different places, making it possible to index the holes in a hole circle, for instance, into line with the center of the machine spindle, one at a time. Enough metal can be included in the

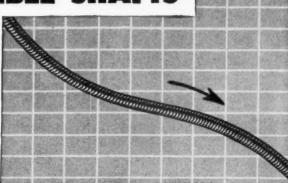


As the operator swings back the lever on this Jones & Lamson Universal Turret Lathe, the collet chuck is opened and the stock is fed forward

Space limitations will not allow of considering chuck jaws in particular, tho there are many variations for different types of work. Manufacturers of either turret lathes or chucks can give first class recommendations in any particular case, not only with regard to chucks and chuck jaws, but also concerning the making of various special fixtures, for holding work which cannot

fixture, at such locations as may be necessary, to provide proper balance for the mass, while it turns with the lathe spindle, regardless of the fact that the workpiece itself is revolving far off center. It is practically always possible to design and make fixtures allowing given types of jobs to be handled properly on turret lathes. Determination of methods for holding different kinds of

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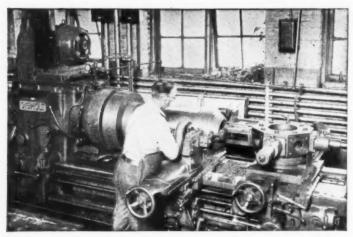
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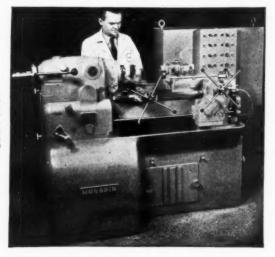
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work properly, is one of the outstanding phases of advanced turret lathe practice.

One very interesting phase of lathe

practice, found in use on turret lathes in different places, is that of contour turning and boring. Where a turret lathe is properly fitted out for this kind

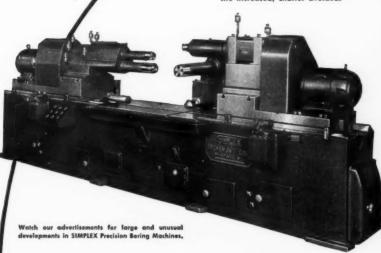
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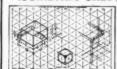
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4—Time is saved by rapid heating and elimination of much work handling.

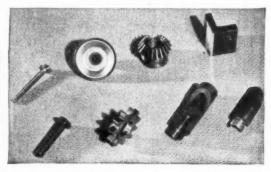
5—Induction heating is admirably adapted to production line set-ups, eliminating the storage and furnace space required for batch hardening.

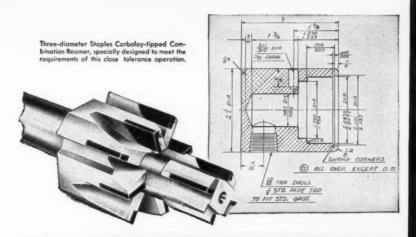
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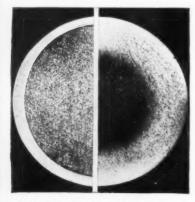
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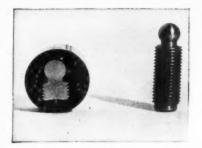
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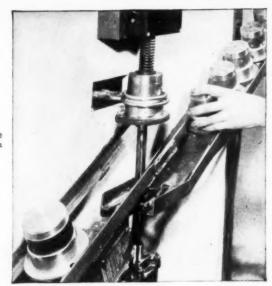
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2	11/4" to 1 %"	1134"
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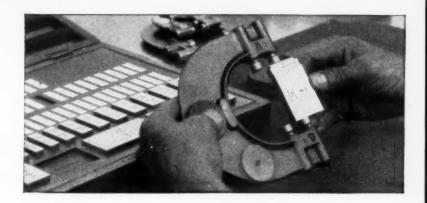
Brazing saves heat

In brazing operations, the heat developed is confined only to the brazing area, saving heat over the furnace or torch methods which heat the entire piece to brazing temperature. It is not unusual to find a saving of 75 percent or more in the number of Btu's required to do a given brazing job.

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Brazing, when done with induction heating equipment, is easily accomplished by unskilled labor. The operator applies flux to the components to be brazed, places a preformed ring of brazing alloy in position, assembles the components, puts the assembly in a work coil, and turns on the power. Work frequently can be set up on an automatic or semi-automatic basis.

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Brazing of four nipples and one seam on a mixing chamber, for example, was formerly done, one area at a time by a gas torch, requiring from 1½ to 3 minutes for each of the five brazes. By induction heating, three threaded nipples brazed simultaneously took 6-7 seconds, the bottom nipple needed 6 seconds, and the seam between the upper and lower portions took 10 to 12 seconds, making an actual brazing time of 22-25 seconds.

When all other work-handling time requirements were added, an increased production rate of 40-50 mixing chambers per hour was gained without additional labor costs over the 6-10 per hour produced by the torch method.

Brazing saves machining

Roller fabrication illustrates the saving that can be achieved by brazing several steel pieces instead of machining the components. A shaft is placed inside a cylinder with end bells put on each extremity. Both shaft and cylinder are simultaneously brazed to the end bells in two operations, each taking approximately 10 seconds. Since the heat is developed uniformly around the piece, the joints are pressure-tight and stronger than specified, no warpage occurs, and no stresses develop in the steel.

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took 5 seconds. Use of preformed brazing alloy rings reduced the procedure to fluxing the parts, assembling them, and brazing. Overall rate of production could be increased 500-600 percent without use of additional labor.

When a spline was brazed to a hub, an assembly equally as strong as a machined part was achieved, thus saving time and material. Preformed alloy rings were 1/32 to 3/64" silver solder and brazing time was only 12 seconds.

Starting motor armatures

High currents and speeds of starting motors demand that the joint between armature coil and commutator bars be of high conductivity and strength. An ordinary solder joint, however, is subjected to such high temperatures there is danger of centrifugal force pulling the coil out of the commutator slot.

Silver solder is ideal since its electrical resistance is almost as low as copper and its tensile and shear strengths greatly exceed that of soft solder. It needs, however, a temperature of 1175° F to melt it and cause it to flow. With ordinary brazing methods the copper of the armature coil and commutator conducts the heat away, necessitating long-time heating of the joint area. As a result of such heating, insulation between commutator bars is sometimes sufficiently damaged to cause short circuits.

Induction heating confined heat to the specific joint area without prolonged or excessive treatment. The armatures with flux and silver solder in place were mounted in a jig and brazed one segment at a time, with approximately 15-20 seconds needed for each braze. Results showed the armatures better both electrically and mechanically.

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topping the pumps' cast iron bases and threading the sheet steel cylinders were found inadequate. By installing a 20 kw induction heater, fluxing pump bases and cylinders, assembling units with rings of solder internally placed, and soldering in groups of six, a mass production line which solders units in 11/2 to 2 seconds time can be achieved.

Melting and preforging

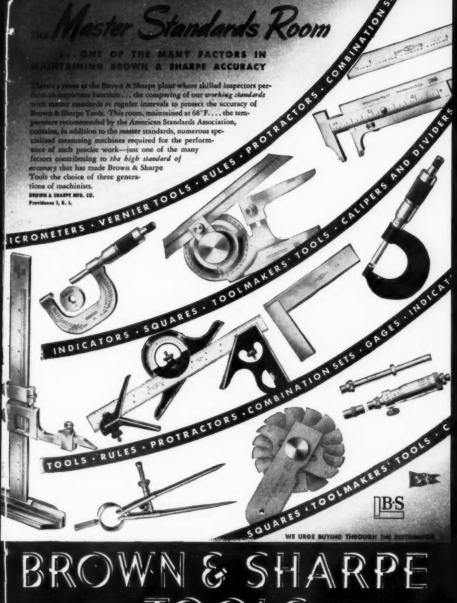
Small batch rapid melting of metals is yet another field where induction heating is being applied. The ability to melt small batches rapidly and conveniently with a minimum of dust, dirt, and radiation to surroundings is a distinct advantage.

Manpower and time saving are the factors to be considered when discussing preforging heating. With proper controls, billets can be so regulated that they are at the proper temperature when they reach the forge. Units for induction heating are also so space-saving that they can frequently be mounted in the most convenient location with respect to the presses, reducing handling and heat loss as work is transferred to the presses from the furnace.

These applications of electrically induced heating are but a few of the many hundreds of products which can be brazed, soldered, annealed, hardened, melted or preheated for other metal processes. Metal working plants are building special laboratory and production facilities to conduct induction heating operations. Electrical utilities are assuming the responsibility for informing power users of developments in new equipment and possibilities of new applications.

Possible advantages to manufacturers are increased almost daily thru the experiments and field experience of engineering and research staffs.

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The world's largest concrete dam and hydro-electric plant will be built by the Chinese on the Yangtse River.

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Victor Division of RCA is using electronic heating to seal in the metal contacts in cathode ray tubes.

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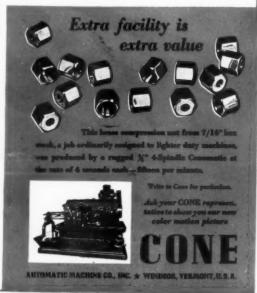
The "Quantometer" is made to analyze the amounts of each element in an alloy automatically and at production-line speed. It has been developed by the Applied Research Laboratories of Glendale, California.

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HOW HAYNES STELLITE MAKES HIGH PRECISION CASTINGS

H IGH precision castings are now being made on a production basis at the Haynes Stellite plant in Kokomo, Ind. These castings reproduce with remarkable fidelity, every complicated curve and angle of the master pattern, and they require little or no subsequent machining or grinding. The materials of which they are cast include Haynes Stellite Cobalt-base alloys, Hastelloy nickel base alloy, Hascrome Iron base composition and other Haynes high temperature alloys and stainless steels.

The "Investment casting" process used frequently is called the "Lost Wax" process. This method has been employed widely in dental and jewelry work, but it remained for Haynes Stellite Company to apply it on a large scale commercial basis.

The first operation involves preparation of one or more master patterns which are replicas of the parts desired, except that they are approximately 1½% oversize. This allowance is to compensate for wax and metal shrinkage.

From the master pattern a soft metal die is cast. Generally there are from one to 20 cavities in the die, depending on the size of the part. It is desirable to

get as many pieces into the die as is practical, since with more cavities, each wax injection produces more wax patterns.

Wax is injected into the die, the wax patterns are removed, inspected, and placed on a conveyor belt. The wax patterns are assembled by "wax welding" to gates and risers as they go down the conveyor belt. The assembly



The assembly is then dipped in a very fine silica suspended in a suitable medium. The presence of this fine material next to the wax is responsible for the smooth finish of the castings since, when the wax later is melted out, this is the surface on the inside of the mold which will be adjacent to the molten metal.

is dipped in a very fine silica solution. The presence of this fine material next to the wax is responsible for the smooth finish obtained on the surface of the castings, since when the wax is melted out, this is the surface that forms the molten metal.

The pouring mouth of the assembly is sealed to a steel plate and the assembly is carried thru a dehumidifying tunnel by the conveyor belt. A Hastelloy C flask, lined with wax paper is



The wax pattern is removed from the die and any cores that are used also are removed. The wax gate is manually broken off. These wax patterns are replicas of the master patterns.

placed around the assembly and sealed to make sure it is liquid tight.

The flask containing the wax assembly is then carried by means of a hanger conveyor where it is filled with a chemically hardening investment material. The mold, after it is filled with investment, is placed on a vibrator to pack the investment tightly around the wax



The "stuccoed" assembly is carried thru a dehumidifying tunnel by the conveyor belt. This drying process takes 22 minutes.

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The flask containing the wax assembly is then carried by means of a hanger-conveyor to the next department, where it is filled with a chemically-hardening investment material.

pattern, and to make sure that all air is removed.

After about one hour the investment has galled, and all the fines have risen to the top. The excess investment material is cut off and the mold is allowed



The castings are then returned to the inspection department, where they are checked visually and dimensionally.

to age for several hours. The steel plate is then knocked off, exposing the pouring mouth into which the metal ultimately will be poured. Then the molds are placed upside down in a continuous furnace and the wax is melted out. Later any residue is burned out as the mold progresses into the hotter zones. The molds are heated from 1300° to 1900° F. depending on the parts to be cast.

Accurately weighed charges of the desired alloy are in the meantime being melted in small indirect arc furnaces. The heated mold is placed directly over the pouring spout of the furnace after the temperature of the metal in the furnace is checked with an optical py-



As the molds progress thru the hotter zones of the furnace during the heating cycle of several hours, the wax is burned out. The molds are heated from 1300 to 1900 deg., depending on the part being produced.

rometer. Correct mold and pouring temperatures control grain size and assure good metallurgical characteristics.

After the mold is clamped on the furnace, the metal is poured by inverting the entire furnace, and air pressure is turned on. The air pressure makes it possible to cast extremely thin edges, and also helps to produce sound and



When the metal reaches the correct temperature, as checked by means of an optical pyrometer to ensure proper grain size and other desired metallurgical properties, the hot, baked mold is inverted and placed directly over the pouring spout of the furnace. After the mold is clamped on the furnace, the metal is poured by inverting the entire furnace, and air pressure is turned on. The air pressure makes possible the casting of thin edges and also makes the metal sound and dense.

dense castings. The mold is allowed to cool slowly and after about four hours the entire casting assembly is knocked from the mold. The excess investment material is then removed and the cast assembly is carried by conveyors to a point where gates and risers are cut off with high speed abrasive cut-off wheels.

The castings then are shot blasted. Following this they are rough inspected. Castings that pass this rough inspection are sent to the grinding department, where the gate areas are smoothed and surface irregularities are removed. The castings then are sand blasted and returned to the inspection department where they are visually and dimensionally checked. Castings passing this inspection are subjected to Zyglo, which is a fluorescent penetrative oil test revealing cracks or other surface imper-



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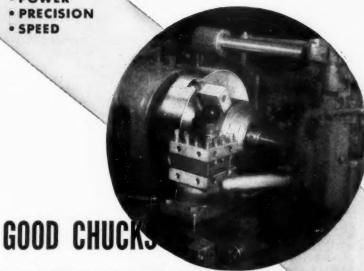


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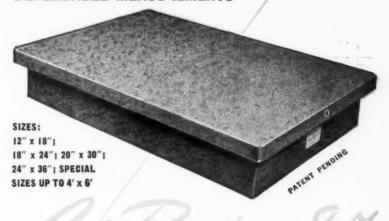


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war that real mass production was achieved.

At first the only major production item was a turbo-supercharger bucket made for General Electric, Ford, and Allis-Chalmers. Early use of the process on a production scale revealed many problems that had to be solved, and in the earliest days the daily shipments of good buckets could be carried

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In the later part of 1944 the bucket program was cut back and three additional programs were started, involving an important ordnance part, turbine blades and turning vanes for jet engines.

With the ending of the war the demand for precision castings underwent another transition. Many companies are now investigating the gas turbine field and Haynes is making precision castings for most of them. Some of the designs are quite radical including many hollow buckets.

Also with the ending of the war, the process is now available for other applications and these include an extremely wide range of parts.

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Trained operators check all X-ray negatives closely for flaws that would make the parts unsuitable for use.

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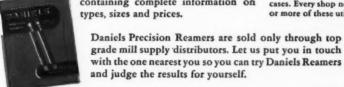
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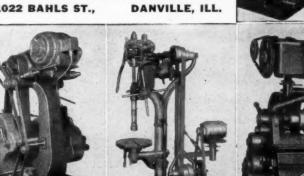
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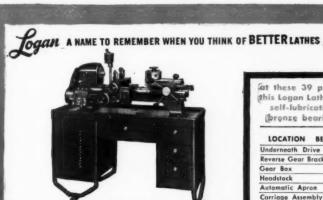
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I N the series of articles under this title appearing in the BLUE BOOK beginning in June 1945 and ending in March 1946, numerous applications of the use of balls in industry were illustrated. Several others have been brought to my attention subsequently which are worth mentioning to round out the series.

One correspondent explains that he applied a 5/16" ball to the end of the propeller shaft of an outboard motor. This ball was inserted at the end of the gear shaft fitting into the 120° included angle at the end of the reamed hole for the radial bearing. This ball therefore took up all the gear thrust and also kept the teeth from bottoming. Altho loaded to an estimated drag of 2000 pounds, the installation has given every satisfaction for the past four years.

In a recently announced plug gage, hardened steel balls facilitate entering the plug into the hole to be gaged. Of British design, the Emmerton plug gage, distributed by Taft-Peirce Mfg. Co., Woonsocket, R. I., helped greatly in the war effort in England.

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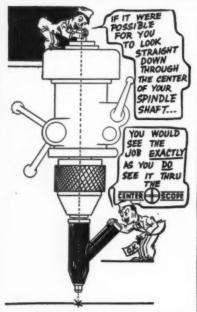
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Balls made of these materials were developed originally for use in nonmagnetic bearings for the instrument trade. It is thought that such balls will be used more extensively in various industries before long.

An interesting application of hardened steel balls is that introduced by Lempco Products, Inc., 5729 Dunham Road, Bedford, Ohio, for use in anti-friction guide pins for die sets. This type of guide pin was developed to prevent freezing of the pin in its bearing, especially where exceptionally high speeds of the punch are required. The pin rides in a ball studded cage, in which the balls are staggered around the pin in the form of a helix. After test runs of as high as 18.000,000 strokes were made, it is claimed that .0005" preload remained of the original .0015" preload applied. Therefore it is possible to keep the play or possible clearance between the guide post and the bearing balls to an absolute minimum. Not only is production increased by less down-time for die grinding or sharpening operations, but the die sets can be opened and closed by hand, without resorting to the use of jacks or kindred tools during the set-up period.

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Iron Pipe Metal Conduit Sheet Metal Sheet Metal	Over 18 gage Under 18 gage	24 24 32
Steels Steels Tubing	1/4" to 1" 1/4" and under Over 18 gage	18 24 24
Tubing	Under 18 gage	32

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Material to be Cut	Tooth per in.	Strokes per Min.	Weight of Pressure, Lbs.
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Aluminum, Puce	4-6	150	60
Brass Castings, Soft	6-10	150	60
Brass Castings, Hard	6-10	135	60
Bronze Castings	6-10	135	125
Cast Iron	6-10	135	125
Copper, Drawn	6-10	135	125
Carbon Tool Steel	6-10	90	125
Cold Rolled Steel	46	135	150
Drill Rod	10	90	125
High Speed Steel	6-10	90	125
Machinery Seeel	4-6	135 90 90 60 90	150
Manganese Bronze	6-10	90	60
Malleable Iron	6-10	90	125
Nickel Silver	6-10	60	150
Nickel Steel	6-10	90	150
Pipe, Iron	10-14	135	125
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In the last installment of the series of ball articles, several applications were illustrated of balls being used to overcome friction longitudinally as in a slide. Here the balls were substituted for the square and dovetail guides. Armstrong-Blum Marvel Saws use such an arrangement to obtain high frictionless rigidity for their blade frames. This design consists of two straight line ball races of special design containing large balls. They are adjusted at the factory for rigidity yet for frictionless operation.

Balls made of plastic materials were also discussed in the series. One such



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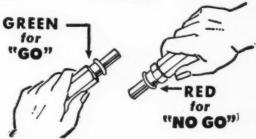
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A ball bearing screw and nut was also discussed in the preceeding article in which the screw was machined with helical groove or ball races which registered with similarly shaped grooves in the nut. An endless string or row of balls was placed between these grooves to form a frictionless assembly. It was stated that this application was used originally in the steering mechanism of passenger cars, trucks, and buses; also that such a design is adaptable to machine tool lead screws, lift trucks and overhead conveyors.

In 1937 a patent was assigned to the Packard Motor Car Co., in which the inner and outer members were helically grooved with a row of balls one touch-

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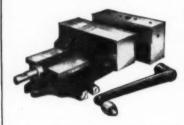




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ing the other, placed between these helical channels. The unit was adapted to the link mechanism connecting the front steering wheel of a car with the main frame so as to permit vertical movement between the two members. Felt rings retained the balls at each end of the assembly. The inner member acted as a pivot and had a short oscillating movement in the outer member. Thrust was taken along the entire length of the helix, likewise radial load.

Also in 1937 Manning Maxwell and Moore, Inc., was assigned a patent in which 5 rows of balls became the driving media of a motor driven hoist. The center shaft is an extension of the motor shaft and is cut like a worm with helical hemispherically-shaped grooves to fit the contour of the balls. The end caps are so arranged that the five rows of balls pass from the driving member to the outer shell of the hoist. When the motor is running, the shaft screws the balls toward this outer shell so that the latter rotates in the opposite direction at a greatly reduced speed.

In the design of a press tool for splicing wire in a connector by means of pressure, a patent was granted to the Whitney Metal Tool Co., in 1938. This covers a manually operated tool in which two telescoping members cut with helical grooves with balls between, form a ball bearing screw thread. Continuity of the row of balls into an endless stream is arranged by directing them into a channel in the outer member, thence to the other end of the groove in the inner or screw member. This is done by means of pins having especially shaped ends.

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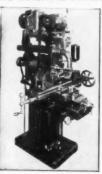
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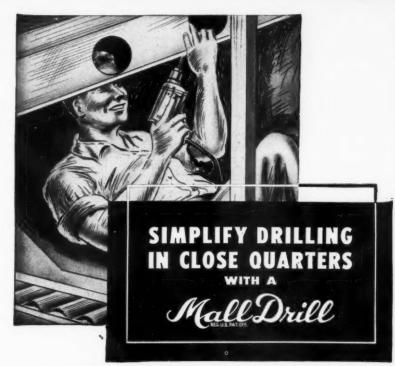
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CONTOUR FORMING

CONTOUR Forming is the name given to the process of reforming metal sections, received in straight lines or prior curves, into varied other shapes.

Basically this is a very old art. The village blacksmith pioneered and blacksmiths of one kind and another still carry on in fields that machinery cannot reach. The majority of this work is done on power presses and bulldozers in the broad fields of modern metal forming.

Contour forming is a later, rather specialized step in which considerable progress was made under the forced draft of war needs. Contour Forming will create shapes not feasible by single or multiple press action, and offers certain economies in manufacture.

One of the earliest applications was in the forming of domestic refrigerator outer cases, making the curved crowns and forming the corners and sides out of one sheet of metal, previously formed by rolls or presses into the desired cross section, having flanges turned up front and back to which were attached the rear panels and the front insulating strips.

The problem involved in this case was how to form the crown, both from front to back and from right to left without causing work wrinkles either in the channels on the front and back or in the top due to the metal movement, or on the reflection of these movements into waves in the side panels. A quite considerable movement of metal actually takes place. For instance, in a certain refrigerator shell the flange members were compressed in their inner edges in a 90° movement, some ¾" in length, while at the same

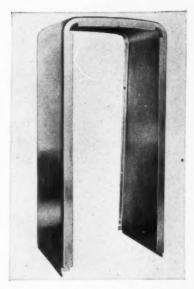


Fig. 1—Seven years ago, domestic refrigerator cases were an early example of contour formed work.

time the outer case in the center line was being stretched 3/4" in the center. This typical operation involves a close control of the material during the process of forming. Any wrinkles or deformation, even some not apparent to the eye, show up when high lighted by painting, and completely spoil the job. It is of first importance in this work to produce duplicate parts and almost equally important that the parts be free from work marks, either in the case of domestic refrigerators because of appearance, or more vitally in the case of aluminum or steel alloys because such work marks may become sources of weakness where the material is used under stress. But, in either case, the elimination of hand finish is of the utmost importance from a cost standpoint. (See Fig. 1)

Early machines made for this work were called Tangent Benders and modifications of these tools are well adapted to making washing machines or deep freeze unit cabinets in one piece, and rectangular shapes of all sorts. A round form in mild steel can still be more simply rolled. (See Fig. 2)

With the outbreak of war these peacetime tools were laid aside and new problems tackled, principally in the airplane field. Here in the fuselage and wings was a happy hunting ground for those in search of complex sections woven into compound curves. The aluminum extrusion process has presented the aircraft designer with an economical means of obtaining almost any kind of cross sections that his fertile mind might devise. These he proceeded to wrap into such shapes as the progress of his art might dictate.

In the shop, however, persuading these complex sections to follow compound curves, often in different planes, was not always "duck soup." To help out, many machines were devised, including the Universal Contour Former. This tool tackled the job of, not alone taking a constant sectional element into curved shapes which had to be held very accurately where necessary, but changing the cross sections during the bending process.

As for instance, in the attach angles which are the members by which the wing tips of an airplane are bolted to the center section in many constructions, and the center section to the fuse-lage. These may be received in the shop as simple right angle extrusions, but because of the angle at which the wing is joined to the body, this angle must be continuously varied so that one leg of the angle presents a flat surface for bolting while the other follows the curve and angle of the skin and other parts to which it is attached.

Furthermore, such bends must be very accurate to avoid bolt and rivet strain. Similar conditions prevail all over the plane, as for instance, in door frames, in tank straps and a number of other parts like tank straps, outer wing

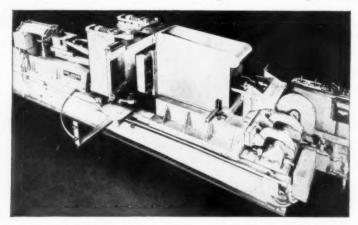


Fig. 2-Early forms of contour formers were called Tangent Benders.



Fig. 3—The Universal Contour Former developed for war finds many applications in peace.

panel, attach angles, wing tip splice angles, stabilizer tips, wing tips, canopy frames, fuselage funnel members, gun turret rings and inner wing formers.

Similar problems have occurred in some rather difficult forms required, for instance, in jet propulsion engines where the interior is stainless steel.

In general, the principal differences

in this class of work as compared with domestic refrigerator jobs previously mentioned, are so considerable it was necessary to develop altogether different machinery. (See Figures 3 and 4—Universal Contour Formers).

In the first place it was found that aluminum, like stainless steel, can in most cases only be formed with the accuracy required by stretching.



Fig. 4—The Contour Former is busily turning out automotive bumpers.

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Fig. 5—A reverse channel bend as run on the Universal Contour Former. Metal is stretched into position. The table reverses in the process.

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A Parts Division is operated in the Cyril Bath Cleveland Plant which makes parts for others, either to demonstrate the process or because the user does not have sufficient work to warrant the installation of expensive machinery. In this department there is no provision for hand working, nor are there any hand working tools.

It has been found from experience that work tends to divide into two classes:

First, that which can be done by Stretching, and

Second, that which is best Compress Formed.

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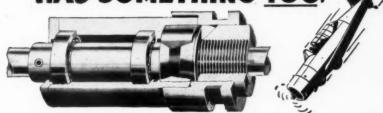
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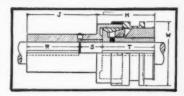
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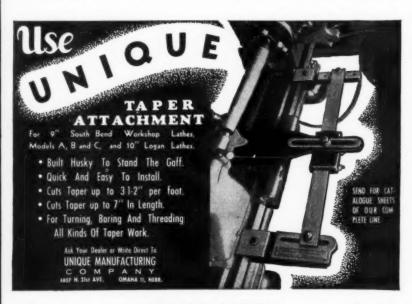
process. It was also found that many forms ran into complete circles or even spiral members, but these could not be formed in rolls either because of their shape, or in the case of stainless steel or aluminum alloys because spring back made duplication very difficult. Therefore, they aimed at a machine which could make shapes in complete circles or spirals and anything up to that point, including straight lines or reverse bends, or bends in several planes. (See Fig. 5 showing channel being bent).

With this tool many parts were produced as whole pieces, which had previously been built and designed in small sections by reason of limitations in equipment available. Much economy in weight as well as in labor and material is possible by further application of this principle and the product designer is not alone relieved of some irritating limitations, but has opportunity to take better advantage of extrusions and the handsome, lighter and tougher steels.

However, the contour process is not limited to any one field, or to the relatively newer metals. Thus rub rails are made for trailers, as shown in Fig. 3, of tough alloys such as used in car and bus bumpers. Bumpers are made too and they have the advantage of one-piece construction which protects both the front and sides around the fenders as shown in Fig. 4, and, indeed, if anyone should so wish, a one-piece bumper could be made to go all around the car and it might also serve as the base frame piece, if the designer wished.

Today important parts are being bent for most bus, coach, trailer and street car builders.

In developing machinery for this work it was necessary to bear in mind also the cost of dies and setup because much material is formed in small quantities. As a rule, if parts are going to run only a hundred pieces or so, it is cheaper to form them by hand if this is possible because dies cost money



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Such machinery the Bath Co. makes. It is semi-standard. Not even the Tangent Bender, built since 1938 for the production of domestic refrigerator

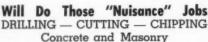


Fig. 6-Hat steel section produced by pressure-forming on contour machine. In a piece that was only 36" long, the inside of the metal in the radius was shortened by 5-1/8" and the outside stretched 6-7/8".

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Third, if the piece is 1020 Steel or low alloy aluminum or stainless, it might be compression-formed. This, indeed, may be desirable because of prior punched holes which generally preclude stretch forming.

Fourth, if it is to be compressionformed shall it be a roll or wipe or

tangent bend? In general, if the piece has a severe curvature, compression working may give just as constant results as stretching. Tooling is likely to cost somewhat less. In long shallow bends, however, even in the soft materials, stretch-forming gives constant product because tonnage applied may be varied to offset variations in material behavior. (Even steel will vary from one mill to the other, and aluminum extrusions vary very much more than steel). Heavier members tend to hold shape better but on the whole in tonnage, the work comes about 40% compression and 50% stretch and 10% make use of both processes on one piece either simultaneously or serially.

Fifth, comes the consideration that the specified materials frequently do not have elongation characteristics sufficient to stand the required forms by stretching, but must be compress formed, or compressed and stretched at the same time. In the latter process, metal in the inner radius of the part is compressed or foreshortened, while at the same time metal at the outer

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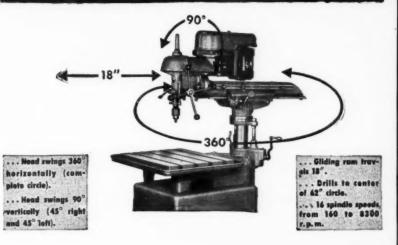
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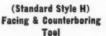
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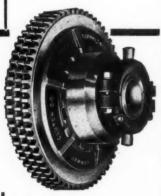
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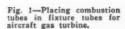
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Fig. 2—Welding cross-over tubes to flame tubes by the atomic hydrogen process.

The fabrication included joint design, fixturing, welding process and machining procedure. In considering joint design, it was first necessary to design for strength. Then weight, distortion, and glas flow were closely checked. For example, a joint where it was necessary to join pieces of different thicknesses, it was known that minimum weight would be obtained by using a straight butt joint. A joint of this type, however, would set us a stress concentration in the thinner piece and encourage failure in service. Fusion welding of this joint would also cause greater distortion. Therefore, where the flanges were welded to the exhaust casing or the ring holders as well as to the flame



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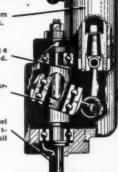
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tubes, a lap joint was used and the weld was generally made by resistance seam welding. This joint proved tight, had excellent strength, a minimum of distortion, and a neat appearance.



Fig. 3—Circumferential seam welding of large flange to cone assembly.

In cases where there was great variation in thickness, it was possible that fatigue failure would occur in the thinner section, next to the lap. Because of this, it was desirable to keep both pieces as nearly alike in thickness as possible. The longitudinal seams, in some instances, were designed for a flush joint without the necessity of grinding. These were made by clamping the joint in a fixture and backing it with hydrogen, and then welding it by the atomic-hydrogen process. The hydrogen backing was provided by burning hydrogen in a groove milled in the backing bar of the fixture. On the thicknesses up to 1/16", it was proved possible to butt the edges up square, and, using the fixture as mentioned, weld the seam without the addition of filler or the use of flux. This resulted in a nearly flush joint



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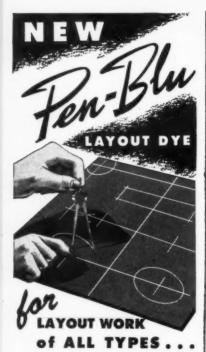
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It is axiomatic that distortion caused by welding, especially in sheet metal parts, is practically unavoidable. In order to make use of the advantages of these parts, allowance had to be made for this distortion wherever possible. When this allowance could not be made, however, it was possible to reduce the distortion by using proper fixtures and sequence. In some cases, welding sequence can be used to reduce distortion and machining sequence to correct it.

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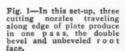
By FRANCIS A. WESTBROOK, M.E.

DEVELOPMENT of the flame-planer for the preparation of the edges of steel plate for Unionmelt welding was a direct result of the tremendous increase of production in shipbuilding and other heavy steel construction. For welded construction it is essential that the edges of the plate be properly prepared in contours having from one to three surfaces, and it was necessary to design equipment to provide for a speed in this connection consistent with the speed of welding the seams. Such speeds were not obtainable with the previously machining operations.

Accurate cutting of the edges and butt joint welding was so far preferable to the making of lap joints that it was required for virtually all construction of ships, tanks, and other work involving the joining together of large quantities of plate by welding. Means other than machine tool planing were needed and it was only natural to turn to flame-cutting which provided the advantages of:

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Until recently, most of the flame preparation of plate edges was done either with the manual cutting blowpipe or by means of one or more blow-



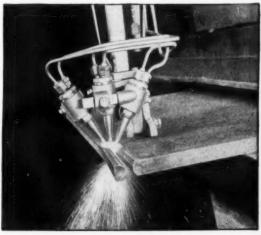




Fig. 2—A cutting machine of this type permits side stepping heavy equipment yet provides for accurate cutting.

pipes mounted on small motor-driven carriages operating on portable tracks, or traveling on the plate itself. Of course, the cutting flame imposes no load or strain whatever on the plate, as does a machine-driven cutting tool. For this reason there is no need of providing heavy clamps to hold the work in place. Heavily constructed equipment

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While many of the early types of flame-cutting machines carrying single blowpipes are still satisfactorily cutting single beveled edges, or straight square edges, a more economical type is now

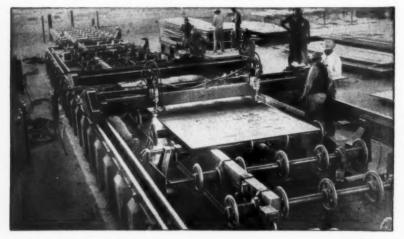


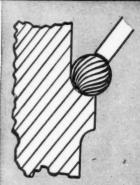
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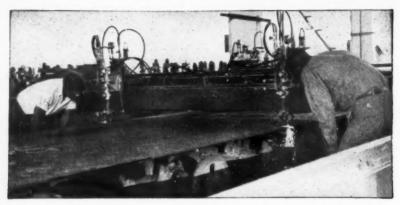


Fig. 4—The middle bridge with its two carriages and flame cutting nozzles travels along the track to make long cuts.

employed for flame-cutting the more complicated edges. Where a double bevel, for instance, is required, it is necessary to make two passes with the single blowpipe machine, and it would be necessary to change the setting. Where the edge must be prepared with three surfaces, as with the double bevel and unbeveled root face, three passes and three adjustments must be made.

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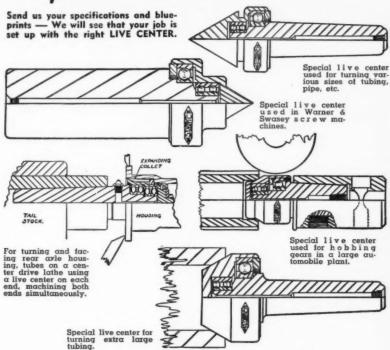
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Assuming the most complicated edge prepared for welding in actual practice, that with the double bevel and unbeveled root face, the cuts can be made in one pass by three cutting nozzles arranged as shown in Fig. 1, held in a fixture that travels along the edge of the plate to be prepared. To make the edges of the bevels uniform and parallel with the plate surface, the nozzles must always be at a uniform distance from the surface of the plate. If the blowpipes are rigidly attached to a carriage which travels on a straight track, it is essential that the plate be held perfectly flat in order to realize these conditions. This would require the heavy equipment which it is desirable to avoid.

A very simple way to side-step heavy equipment and still provide for accurate cutting is with a cutting machine of the type shown in Fig. 2. This consists of a carriage that travels on tracks, with the blowpipe and nozzle assembly supported on a vertical shaft free to move up and down. The floating assembly rests on a small wheel which rides on the plate to be prepared. As the carriage moves along the track, the nozzles remain in uniform relation to the plate accurately following any waves in the plate. The only thing that is necessary is accurate track alignment and sufficiently firm foundations for maintaining a rigid mounting. However, as no great loads are involved, suitable foundations can be provided easily.

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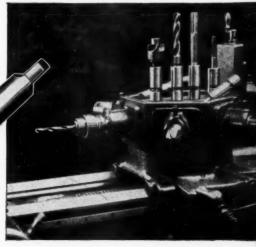


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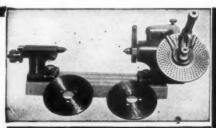
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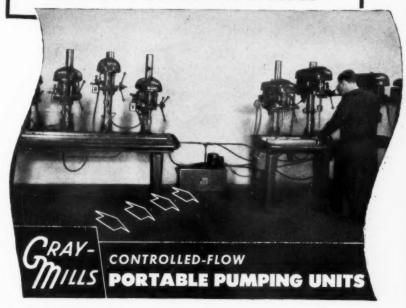
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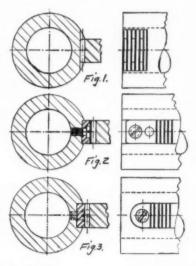
In numerous types of machines, spindles must be advanced either horizontally or vertically by means of rack and pinion operated sleeves. Unless the spindle housing sleeve is made of alloy steel, or at any rate unless the teeth are heat treated and possibly ground to shape, the designer and shop man is faced with a sometimes vexing question:—How should the rack be attached or should the teeth be cut directly into the periphery of the sleeve?

If the loads are considerable and the sections thin, whether of cast iron or mild steel, teeth cut into the sleeve as in Fig. 1 are not always satisfactory. Here the sleeve is first flattened to approximately the width of the engaging gear or pinion so that the maximum tooth engagement is available. When the teeth are of a larger pitch, the teeth have been cut directly on the rounded surface where the maximum depth of tooth falls on the centerline only. This might be sufficient for light duty but it is hardly satisfactory for general machine work. Of course, the sole advantage of the foregoing method is that the center-distance between the axes of the spindle and the operating pinion can be held to a minimum, a requirement that sometimes dictates such a design of rack and sleeve.

Assuming that the spindle sleeves in the remaining drawings are made of cast iron, the designs are such that steel racks are fastened by various means to the sleeves. These racks can be made of mild steel or steel having a low carbon content. They may be left soft or heat treated by carburization, or further, they may be of hardened alloy

steel with the teeth ground to exact shape.

In Fig. 2, a shallow slot is cut into the periphery of the sleeve for its entire length. This slot is necessarily shallow so that enough metal remains beneath it for sufficient thread-hold for the screws. In this design, the rack is not quite so long as the sleeve so as not to interfere with any contacting member at either end. The ends of the rack which accommodate the screws and pin are thinned so that the upper surface is beneath the root of the tooth. The screw head is necessarily thin as shown. Because of the looseness of the screw in the screw hole, a dowel pin must be used



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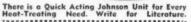
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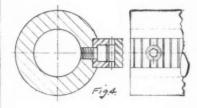
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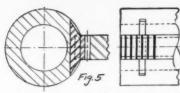
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to take thrust. The feature of this design is that the length of travel is greater because the teeth of the pinion have clearance over the relieved ends of the rack.

Whereas an over-and-over cutter is used for cutting the rack slot in Fig. 2. an end mill or spline milling cutter is necessary for the slot in Fig 3. In this design the rack is fitted like a round ended key or spline, in that the lengths of rack and slot are of the same dimension. This overcomes the necessity of using a dowel pin to take the thrust. The ends of the rack are not relieved, but the heads of the screws are flush with the tops of the rack teeth. While in Fig. 2, the low wall heights of the slot are augmented by a rather long screw thread, the design shown in Fig. 3 is somewhat different. Here the rack is assembled with a press fit. Not only does the rack fit snugly endwise but on the sides as well. Because of this additional friction and for the fact that the side walls of the slot are considerably deeper, only about four threads of the screw are considered necessary for contact. The two screws are also retained by thin lock washers at the bottom of the counterbored holes.



In Fig. 4, a somewhat heavier spindle sleeve rack and pinion are used. To obtain the maximum amount of pinion travel, the counterbored holes for the screws are machined into tooth slots. The counterbore is of such depth that the pinion teeth clear the screw head. Here the pinion can be fed practically to the end of the rack, even tho only half a tooth length is available where the three screw heads are.



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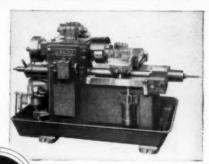
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BUDGETING POST-WAR OPERATIONS By ARTHUR ROBERTS

I T is axiomatic that a plan is essential to maximum efficiency. Even such a variable as the weather is charted for human guidance by meteorologists; the government operates on a budget; home builders have their blueprints and dance routines in a musical comedy are not left to chance. Many other activities are planned beforehand. In business, such planning is called budgeting. A budget does not assure success but it is mighty helpful toward that goal. It is the blueprint used in building business.

Among machine tool users, however, planning is too seldom part of the business curriculum. Business movement for a forthcoming period is left largely to chance. The main objection to planning is that business is unpredictable, but this does not hold in view of the success that business planners have experienced with this work.

Since the income tax hit the stratosphere, businessmen who have failed to budget operations with the income tax included, have been disillusioned at their pocket-profit after the Federal toll was computed. To minimize this hazard, the machine tool user should budget and get some perspective of the net less the tax beforehand. Maybe he will not hit the result on the button, but if he adjusts estimated against actual figures month-to-month, including the tenta-

tive tax up-to-date, he should have a much better idea of the result than if he operates without benefit of budgetary control. Of course, there will be differences between estimated and actual results, but this does not negate the value of a budget as a valuable check-sheet on operations.

All budgets require a certain degree of flexibility and the figures set at the beginning of a period may be changed if conditions warrant it. The budget should be set up for each month and checked monthly. A budget may be started any month and usually covers one fiscal year. If a business year ends in December and a management starts budgeting in May, estimates should be forecast until December and then budgeted from January to December thereafter, the budgets being kept in a looseleaf binder for comparative analysis so that a management can determine the accuracy of estimates from period-to-period. At first, estimates may vary widely from actual results, but with the passing months, and close application to the figures, the management will find itself doing a better job of forecasting.

Some businessmen contend that their business is so complex in certain phases that budgeting is impossible, but this idea does not square with the experiences of businessmen in general. Many



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industrialists producing hundreds of different products budget their operations and find it helpful. The biggest weakness in the production and distribution of goods and service, particularly in small and moderately-sized organizations, is the omission of budgetary preparation from the business curriculum. Negligence along these lines in this postwar period will prove more costly than in prewar years because the income tax was much lower then. Today, this tax is a big expense burden on operation, and because of its progressive feature, it increases with profitable volume. The businessman must plan income and outgo beforehand to get some perspective of his spendable income after the tax is deducted at the end of the year. The fact that, because of many variables and uncertainties, operations will be hard to forecast in this postwar period, is no excuse for not budgeting, altho most businessmen decrie the efficacy of a budget for this reason, contending that they do not know what the morrow will bring, so how can they budget for an extended future period. Such businessmen fail to understand the underlying reason for a budget. Its purpose is to provide a jumping-off place from which to get perspective on future business movement. Even tho the going may be rough and unpredictable, a compass is essential to a mariner; in fact, it is needed more in turbulence than in calm.

The machine tool user should remember, however, that budgeting has undergone a basic change since prewar years. Then sales were the basis of calculation. The budget-maker looked over his past sales, then estimated future volume, usually figuring high as a stimulant to his selling organization. Next he estimated the cost of sales, otherwise. labor and materials, then budgeted overhead, fixed and variable, to arrive at his estimated net profit. Because the war has distorted prewar ratios; because conditions today are unstable and will bring into being entirely different ratios than the accepted yardsticks of prewar years; because many new products will come to market feeling their way for consumer acceptance; because

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Based upon costs, overhead expense and net profit, the budget-maker will arrive at a sales volume figure that

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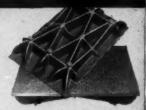


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should prove profitable, and, of course, income taxation must be taken into consideration. However, this is a volume figure for the whole year or period under forecast and it must be broken down to monthly totals to be of value. Sales volume varies during a year in accordance with consumer buying habits, seasonal business, production output and selling efficiency, most of which may be approximated by analyzing past experience figures, then setting monthly quotas accordingly. For example, if January sales for a prior year, or the average for a number of years, showed 3.5 per cent of total sales, then the current budget is set up accordingly and so on for every month in the year. Suppose that prior period figures showed these monthly ratios on sales:

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July 30,000	10.0
June 31,800	10.6
May 28,500	9.5
April 18,300	6.1
March 15,000	5.0
February 9,600	3.2
January\$10,500	3.5%

The budget-maker would use these same ratios in computing monthly sales for a forthcoming period, regardless of whether he budgeted volume at more than \$300.000 or less.

In checking over our research work sheets covering prewar operations of machine tool users, I find that 90 per cent using budgets made or exceeded anticipated net profits; 10 per cent dropped below anticipated net profits. by an average of only 8 per cent; none lost money. Of those not using budgets, only 30 per cent made or exceeded anticipated net profits; 45 per cent did not make the net profit hoped for, the deficiency averaging 22 per cent; 25 per cent lost money, even tho they used a pricing formula that worked out profitably on paper. It is only reasonable to conclude from these field studies that budgetary control in prewar days was essential to the attainment of maximum profits. Certainly, if this business control was needed in a more calm atmosphere, how much more imperative is it in this postwar period, when business is being needled by labor unrest, higher costs, peacetime restrictions and high taxation? The wise machine tool user will defend his business security with a postwar budget-and also keep close tabs on taxes.

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Space forbids going into a full description of the machine. When the part to be balanced was set in motion, a rotating indicator traveled the circle of a dial on the front of the machine, and



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THE PYROMETER INSTRUMENT CO. 102-105 Lalayette St., New York, N. Y. the presence of unbalance would cause electric sparks to jump from the indicator to a graduated metal circle at the outer edge of the dial. Facilities were provided in the machine for first swiveling the weight-holder on its revolving arbor until the weight assumed a position in the same angular plane as the unbalance in the part proper, and then for moving the weight in that plane and in the weight holder until it came to a position where it effected a true compensation or counterbalance for the unbalance in the part, at which time the sparking on the dial mentioned ceased.

Position of the weight could then be checked, after the machine was stopped. with the help of auxiliary devices provided. You will see at once that the angular position of the weight, relative to the part being balanced, would lo-cate the angular position of the mass causing the unbalance, which would be directly opposite. You will also understand that the radial position of the weight, with reference to the distance it was removed from the center of rotation, would indicate the amount of the unbalance. There were graduations on the compensating weight-holder, by means of which the amount of unbalance, as expressed in ounce-inches. could be readily determined.

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Have you ever considered the machining of various types of rings, as for instance gear rings, that are fairly large in diameter and of sufficiently small cross-section to be easily distorted, and wondered how you would hold the rings in their rough state without distorting them, at the lathe, while the first cut, whether inside or outside, was being taken? In order to do this, it is necessary to have a considerable number of chucking jaws, so that the ring may be supported at nearly every point, and with only a very moderate pressure. Air-powered chucks having special jaws of compensating type have been developed in some instances for the handling of such work, very often a double-contact-point jaw being swiveled from a point in the body of the chuck, so that the various contact points may accommodate themselves somewhat to the initial irregularities in the rings, until the first cut has been taken. Undoubtedly most of our specialists in the production of pneumatic chucks could design equipment of compensating type for jobs of this kind.

Compensation for wear in bearings is a proposition that has been very thoroly solved in cases where tapered roller bearings of certain types are used, but did you know that with reference to end play that builds up as the result of wear between bearings and flanges, bearings and collars, or other parts, devices have been perfected for making compensation for such wear automatically? The basis of the solution to this was the interposition between the bearing and the adjacent thrust bearing surface of a compensating device in the nature of an automatic expanding element, which expands as the need may arise, to take undue play out of the mechanism. It has about the appearance of a spacing washer, but is really made up of two cams which, when rotated upon one another in opposing directions, will expand in cross section. The expanding action takes place periodically or in increments. If the compensator is adjusted to take up wear in increments of .001", and a given amount of leeway has been predetermined to take care of expansion and contraction of the parts due to temperature

changes, then there will be no expansion of the device until the wear has reached the point where it is .001" greater than the amount held for clearance. At that time, an expansion of .001" will take place thru the action of a contained power spring which acts to rotate the parts one upon the other. The spring is continually acting to cause this rotation and expansion, but it cannot do so until there is sufficient wear or clearance for an internal gage pin to pass one of a series of ribs provided for the purpose. When the pin slips past one of the ribs, revolution and expansion occur until the pin encounters the next rib, where it abides until another .001" of wear has taken place, regardless of the passage of time or other conditions. This is a very clever device, and one that tends to make things considerably more easy for the designer.

Even in the case of production machine vises, we occasionally find some sort of compensating element. In cases where material of soft or relatively fragile nature is being worked, or parts that by their nature are highly susceptible to distortion or other damage if too great pressure be applied, it is certainly well worth while to use a vise in which the jaw pressure may be adjusted to suit the work. One vise not only has such a provision, but it also has a compensating feature in the nature of a special toggle-linkage layout which will insure uniform pressure regardless of differences in thickness of the parts being clamped in the vise. Spoilage losses have been greatly reduced in many cases by the use of such a device.

Springs as compensating devices. It is hard to say in how many places and in how many ways springs have been used to compensate in one way or another. A very interesting application of spring compensation was in the case of modern universal floating chuck or toolholder for horizontal operation. It is one thing to use a floating toolholder in a vertical position, but it is quite another to employ one in a turret lathe or in an automatic screw machine, for drilling, counterboring, reaming, etc. How to compensate for the weight of the tool is the question. The way in which it was done by one maker of such a

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chuck was to provide adjustable spring pressure for the purpose.

There are countless other aspects of compensation in machine design and machine building. These, taken at random, however, cover a very considerable cross-section of mechanical effort. and will undoubtedly be useful in stimulating thought along this line, both toward the development of further devices, and toward the greater utilization of those we already have at hand.

By JOHN E. HYLER

EYE SAFETY

In the interest of reducing eve accidents, which are one of industry's great safety problems, Willson Products, Inc., Reading, Pa., has developed a new and novel program which appeals to both novel educational program which appeals to both workers and employers.

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"Industry frequently overlooks the fact that eye accident costs which average \$2,150 each, and are the costliest industrial mischance, are among the easiest to prevent," Thomas A. Wilson, Company President, said in revealing the new program for greater eye safety had been launched after exhaustive research into the psychological attitudes involved. Goggles in a worker's pocket don't pro-tect him from flying chips. Shields lying

on a work bench never prevented a welder from an eye injury. Yet the same machinist who keeps safety goggles in his pocket while he grinds a tool wouldn't think of driving an automobile which didn't have adequate brakes.

PLANT LOADING CHART

A chart showing the safe loadings of plant industrial trucks has decreased accidents and improved truck maintenance at the South Philadelphia Works of Westinghouse.

Previously, several trucks were out of service and accidents were occurring due to overloading, improper loading, and handling of materials. Repair parts were difficult to obtain and it became necessary to purchase additional equipment to compensate for the excessive time the jitneys and trucks were spending in the repair shop.

A study of the problem indicated that many of the jitneys and trucks were being overloaded, material was not stacked or piled properly, and accidents were happening which, fortunately, had not seriously injured anyone, altho remachining was required to repair damaged items.

It was frequently difficult to determine the proper method of loading and the safe loads which could be hauled. This problem was given detailed study and resulted in the development of a loading chart which shows the proper types of transportation equipment, the proper loads of material which can be handled easily, and the proper types of blocks or skids required for safe handling the loads during transportation. Since it was obviously impossible to cover the thousands of parts which are manufactured, representative items were chosen to give a reasonable distribution of sizes and shapes without including special items for which skids and holding fixtures were provided before moving could be ordered.

By showing the representative items for a series of similar sizes and shapes, each item shown furnishes the correct answer to a considerable number of similar parts, particularly since the identification is given, a picture of the part is given, and the total weight indicated. The large numbers indicate the quantity that can be handled for each type of transportation facility, and the transportation facilities on which these parts should not be transported are also indicated. By making a general disposition of this chart to all supervisors, safety men, transportation department employes and crane hookers-on, transportation in the shop has been much improved from the standpoint of eliminating arguments and discussions during loading and transporta-tion of material. Where questions arise they can be answered quickly to the sat-isfaction of all concerned by reference to the chart posted on the side of the jitney. Safety men can verify proper loading and blocking of equipment being moved by jitney or truck thru their de-partments, and proper types of trucks can be ordered by the hooker-on for making the moves required. In addition to this, repairs on transportation equipment have been reduced, hazards to other employes have been practically elimi-nated, and damage to finished parts seldom occurs.

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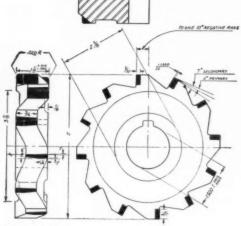
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machine tool manufacturers were operating in Australia. Only two of these could compare with overseas manufacturers in the same field. Yet at the peak of war production there were 200 firms employing 12,000 persons for an annual produc-tion of 14,000 machines.

Many jobs undertaken during the war were far bigger than anything attempted in Australia previously. Figures just re-leased show that tools of great size were neased snow that tools of great Size Were made for shipbuilding and tank production. A 2000-ton steam hydraulic forging press, weighing over 80 tons, was in operation 14 weeks from the beginning of its manufacture. Three-thousand-ton hydraulic forms draulic power presses and lathes of 86" swing with 50 ft between centers were also constructed. Motor manufacturers produced motors of up to 910 hp.

This program was organized by the Machine Tool Directorate set up by the Department of Munitions for rationalizing and co-ordinating the industry.

Thirty thousand of the total machine tools went to the Services and 20,000 to industry. Orders were also delivered on overseas accounts to the British Army in Egypt, South Africa, New Zealand and India, and also to United States and the Netherlands East Indies forces.

Much has been achieved in the production of hand tools, and a trade spokesman said recently that Australia had become self-supporting in many lines. These tools, he said, were now in regular local production:—axes, braces, calipers and dividers, carpenters' levels, files, digging forks, hand and breast drills, iron planes, ring spanners, steel rules and wood chisels.

A total of \$30,000,000 was spent on tool and gauge manufacture. The nature of the achievement is shown by the fact that while there were two factories apart from Government plants, before the war. there were 188 at the peak of production, 26,000 high precision items being produced in a single day.





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1—All electrodes for welding mild steel, i. e., types E-6010, E-6011, E-6012, E-6013, E-6020, and E-6030, use the same core wire—a good grade of rim steel, low in carbon. All variations, such as ductility, ease of welding, speed, tensile strength, etc., result from variations in the coating.

2—Rods are sold by the pound—prices in general run the same in the £-6000 series for most types and sizes larger than ½". £-6011 or £-6013 rods are slightly more expensive. Faster rods have heavier coatings, so rods actually cost more per pound of steel.

Good welding engineering demands that positioning and jig costs, labor skill and labor cost, rate of weld metal deposit and relative quality of final weld all be considered carefully before deciding on welding procedure on any production job.

3—Polarity is probably the least understood principle in the welding trade. The reasons that some electrodes operate best on reverse polarity and others on straight polarity are not fully known in many cases.

Bare wire is used on straight polarity with electrode on the negative terminal of welding generator, because more heat is developed at the positive terminal, thus better penetration is obtained when the electrode is connected in this manner. With coated electrodes the heat is more nearly equally divided between the anode and cathode. However, some electrodes such as the AWS 6010 type do not operate satisfactorily on straight polarity because of excessive spatter.

The development of electrode coatings to operate on straight polarity d-c and a-c has been largely by "cut and try." Most electrodes which operate well on a-c also operate satisfactorily on d-c. Sometimes these electrodes operate slightly better on either reverse or straight polarity but normally it makes little difference which polarity is used. To be satisfactory for a-c welding, electrodes

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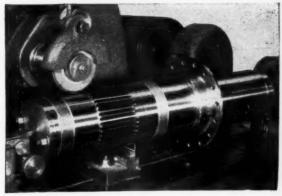


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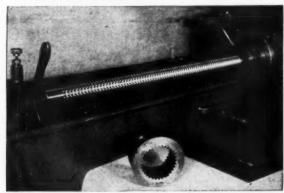
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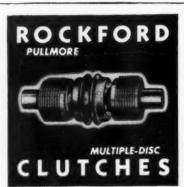
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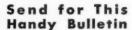
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RELEASE of an official report by the Combined Production and Resources Board now makes it possible for the American Standards Ass'n., 70 E. 49th St. New York 17, N. Y., to give the results of the conference on unification of screw thread standards held last October at Ottawa.

This conference was the culmination of months of hard technical effort on the part of national engineering committees working thru the British Standards Institute, the Canadian Standards Ass'n, and the American Standards Ass'n. Agreement was reached that there should be unification of the basic screw threads of the three countries. A technical basis was laid for such unification. The report that came out of the conference consists essentially of recommendations to the industries of the three countries as to how they may carry out the work of unification thru their respective national standardizing bodies.

The immediate spur to completion of this job was the experience of the past war. Urgently needed equipment was sometimes kept out of action for months waiting for replacement parts because British and American screws were not interchangeable. Had there been a common system of screw thread forms in 1939, production could have been multiplied in volume and millions of dollars would have been saved for the Allies.

For some 30 years, engineers in the countries concerned have been working to this end with increasing conviction of its importance. The present agreement is the culmination of the work of three conferences which the Combined Production and Resources Board have made possible by providing authorization under wartime restrictions and by supplying travel funds.

All recommendations of the conference have been referred to committees of the national standardizing bodies of the three countries with a view to their use in development of the national standards. The Committee on Screw Threads of the American Standards Ass'n, working under the technical leadership of the ASME and the SAE will reduce these recommendations to the usual terminology of American Standards. The technical detail is to be identical in the standards of the three countries, thus providing for complete interchangeability of threaded parts.





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The new basic form of thread which was endorsed by the conference has an angle of 60° and rounded crest and root, with truncation of the crest of the screw permissible. Threaded products made to this new form will be practically interchangeable with those having the same nominal diameter and pitch made to the present American Standard. On the part of the British, however, a change in the

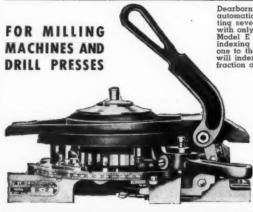
thread angle from 55 to 60° for threads of all sizes will be necessary.

This proposed form recommended as a standard is the result of efforts to retain the best features of the present forms. At the same time a series of associated diameters and pitches have been worked out which it is believed will simplify existing practice and yet provide an adequate range of choice for all general requirements. It is also felt that the proposed change will involve the minimum amount of departure from existing practice consistent with the obtaining of the object in view—a common standard for general purpose threads.

In addition to the agreement on a unified basic form of thread, agreements were reached on special purpose threads, including Acme threads, buttress threads and threads for fastening screws for precision instruments. It is expected that certain parts of the American War Standard for Acme

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A standard form of buttress thread was agreed upon, particularly designed for use in applications involving exceptionally high stresses in one direction only. The agreements also included preferred series of diameters and pitches, formulas for calculating suitable tolerances and allowances, and a recommended system of gaging. The thread form has an over-all depth of engagement of 0.4 pitch, a pressure face angle of 7° and the pressure face and back face connected by symmetrical radii of suitable proportions. The formula for calculating the effective diameter was the same as that used in British Standard 84-1940 (Screw Threads of Whitworth Form) but modified to suit the buttress thread and so arranged as to compromise the pitch-diameter factors to meet the wide range of pitch-diameter relationships.

An alternative form with a vertical pressure flank thread was in demand, the British found, particularly for larger gun work and on high pressure steam valves. An appendix added to the draft standard, therefore provides an alternative optional thread form having a vertical pressure flank.

It was also agreed at the conference that the method of calculating tolerances and allowances on Buttress threads as given in the British proposal should be accepted with the reservation that it is open to revision in accordance with any general change in basic formulas for tolerances and allowances in a unified standard for screw threads.

The conference reached agreement for unification on threads for optical tubes and cells; and on microscope objective threads (interchangeable with the Royal Microscopical Society thread).



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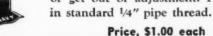
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For fine motion screws the new basic form of thread was proposed, possibly with the adoption of decimal inch diameters, particularly for sizes below ¼".

In order to facilitate the supply of taps and dies, three series of nominal diameters were recommended.

On bearing adjusting screws, it was agreed that the diameters and pitches should be chosen from the series recommended for fastening screws of fine motion screws.

Screw threads for optical instruments were considered under three separate headings: major, minor and optical constructional screw threads.

The major optical component screw threads included microscope objective screw threads and screw threads for photographic or camera lens mountings.

It was recommended that the existing British and American Standards on screw threads for photographic or camera lens mountings be studied with a view to establishing uniform standards, giving particular attention to diameters, pitches, the proposed new basic thread form and length of threads to shoulder.

For minor optical components such as lens accessories, shutter cable release gear, between-the-lens shutters, and the like, it was recommended that the new basic thread form be adopted and the dimensions for such threads be based on the inch unit.

Agreement was reached on a common series of pitches for optical constructional threads on tubes and cells, to be used with the proposed new basic thread form.

On tripod mounting threads for surveying and similar equipment it was







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recommended that the Service departments of the three countries be asked to reconsider their diverse standards with a view to unification.

The use of the proposed basic thread form in the development of standard screw threads for mounting cameras and similar equipment on stands or tripods was referred to the standardizing organizations in each of the three countries.

The possibility of reaching agreements on pipe threads, methods of gaging and inspection, a universal system of nomenclature and definitions relating to drawing practice, high duty studs in light alloys and on rolled sheet metal threads and associated molded plastic and die-cast threads was discussed but no agreements were reached. Arrangements were made for continuing the discussion.

The proposal on a basic thread form was by far the most outstanding accom-

plishment of the conferences and exemplifies the spirit of collaboration that prevails among the engineering professions of the three countries. Thruout the New York, London, and Ottawa conferences there was a spirit of accord which promises well for future cooperation between the three countries in the development of improved industrial methods and equipment.

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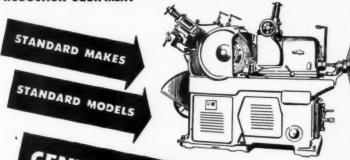
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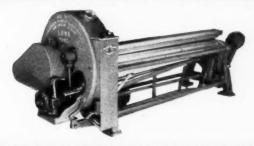


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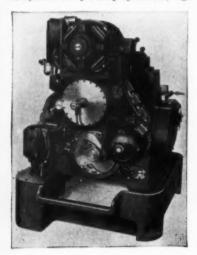
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ACME-GRIDLEY SINGLE SPINDLE "CHUCK-MATIC"

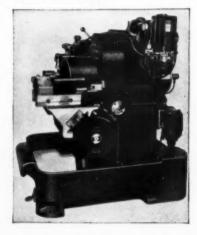
A NEW 12" capacity single spindle automatic chucking machine announced by The National Acme Co., 170 East 131st St., Cleveland 8, Ohio, is said to be radically different from any previous single spindle chuckers seen in this country.

Heavy duty, high production machining operations on castings, forgings, and tubing parts up to 12" in diameter can be effectively performed. Named the "Chuck-Matic", this new chucking machine specializes in straight, internal or taper boring, form turning or form boring, external turning, forming, facing and chamfering.

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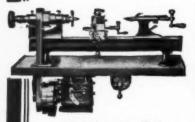
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2—Start spindle—safety locking spring plunger pushed and held with left hand, and lever "S" pulled with right to start spindle.

3—When cut is finished, slides recede, spindle stops, and coolant flow is automatically cut off.

4—Unload work—pedal is depressed after slides are retracted and spindle is stopped.

The machining cycle is entirely automatic. Operator is always in position at front of machine; all controls are operated from this position and work is chucked from front. One person may operate as many machines as the cycle time of the job will permit; one machine is loaded while another is cutting.

Chuck is positioned 41" from floor level—natural elbow height. Face of chuck is but 14" from main splash guard's front edge, and the slides are well retracted from chucking zone to rid that area of annoying obstructions during chucking. As chuck jaws are opened and closed by air power controlled by pedal, practically no physical effort is required to operate chuck.

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Three motors are used. Spindle and tool cutting movements are powered by a 15 hp motor mounted directly over spindle

at rear of machine. High speed clearance movements of the slides are controlled by a 2 hp motor, and a ¾ hp motor operates the heavy pump employed for circulating coolant.

Cutting tools are mounted on the compound slide and cross slide positioned opposite each other on machine's frame. Solidly proportioned, these slides are set on an angular type base and supported

in frame without overhang.

Compound slide at right hand side of machine carries tools for straight or taper boring, form boring or form turning, drilling, reaming or grooving. Maximum boring length is 3½"—turning length 4". End-working tools return distance for chuck clearance is 6". Moving in two directions during operating cycle, the compound slide approaches working position at high speed by moving longitudinally to point where cutting is to start, then in towards work. When ready to start actual cut, slide movement is shifted to low working speed, under power of main drive motor.

Located at left, the cross slide contains tools for forming, turning, facing and chamfering. Cross slide also approaches chuck at high speed, shifting over into low working speed when starting point of

cut is reached.

An ingeniously designed telescoping guard is used to prevent fine chips, dirt, and coolant from accumulating on slide ways, which are angled steeply to permit coolant to wash chips down easily into pan.

Wear on slides is compensated by use

of adjustable gibs.

Slide movements are controlled from cam drums located directly beneath slides. Cam drums can be pulled out on pilot shafts for convenience when setting cams.

Positive stops are provided for all slides, with standard adjustable stops being employed to limit slides' longitudinal movement. Double positive stops are used on compound slide; in addition, there is a positive type stop on top of compound slide particularly for use in controlling depth during long boring cuts.

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easily accessible, they can be changed to obtain the same feed for a shorter cam rise, if required. Saving in short-run jobs' set-up time is obtained by this method, as it is not necessary to change cams on the drums controlling slide movement.

A Snap-lock limit switch is used to prevent the air control circuit pedal from opening chuck while spindle is in motion. When air pressure falls below an established minimum, a safety valve op-erates to stop all machine movements.

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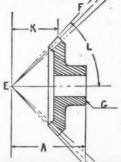
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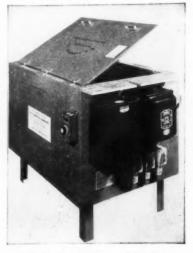
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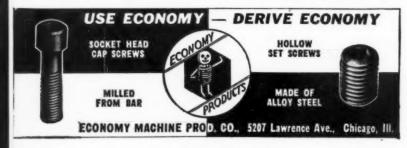
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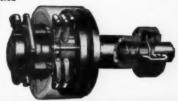
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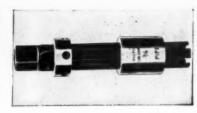
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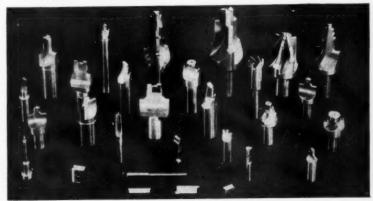
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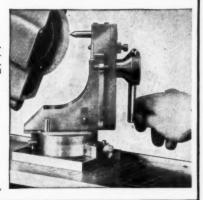
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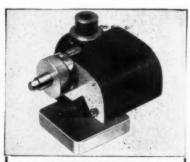


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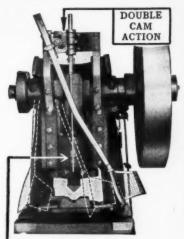
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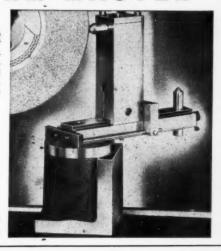
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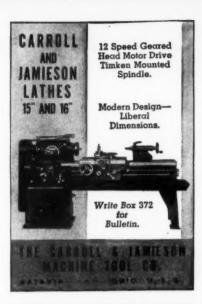


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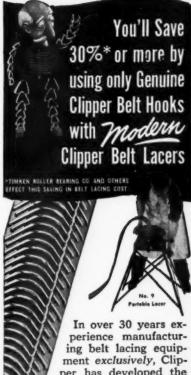


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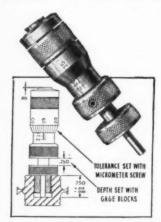
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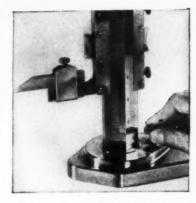
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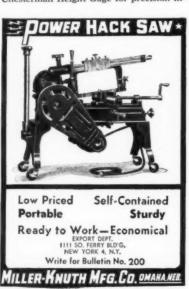
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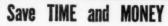
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The gage is hardened and ground all over and has extremely accurate graduations. In addition to the new 48" size, the gage is manufactured in 12, 18, 24 and 40" sizes provided with both English and metric scales.

The George Scherr Co., 198 Lafayette St., New York 12, N. Y. offers a 6-page folder presenting the advantages of the Chesterman Height Gage. In addition to the gage itself, a master gage block for checking vernier setting and a depth

rod for taking depth measurements are also provided.

"AIRSNAP" FIXTURES

New standard adjustable "Airsnap" fixtures for use with Precisionaire instruments have been announced by The





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Sheffield Corp., Dayton, Ohio. These adjustable Airsnaps provide desirable flexibility in checking external dimensions by air and are available in eight models covering a range of from 250 to 2.000" inclusive. Larger sizes may also be had on special order. Maximum diameter of the part to be checked determines the size range and model.

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The adjustable anvil may be located at any point within a 1/4" range. It is mounted so that its gaging surface is always parallel to that of the fixed anvil. The backstop is adjustable along an angular way so that when in contact with the extensions of the adjustable anvil, it is square with the anvil gaging surfaces and in proper position to automatically line up axis of the part with center of the two air jets. The oversize setting enables utilization of the full manufacturing tolerance of the part in gaging and allows the proper amount of air to flow so as to obtain a correct reading. Because of tungsten carbide surfaces, wear on gaging anvils is reduced to a minimum, prolonging their life. Each adjustable Airsnap has built-in balanced airflow accuracy so the reading does not change if one anvil is closer to the part than the other.

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AMPCO PRODUCT BULLETIN

Ampco Metal, Inc., Milwaukee 4, Wis., has issued Bulletin 72, highlighting the Ampco line of alloys, specialties and services.

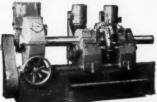
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ices which have been developed recently. The new bulletin discloses that the activities of the company have been broadened so that today it offers many specialties, such as resistance welding electrodes, mill products, continuous cast bearing bronzes, Ampco clad metals, pumps, and fabricated assemblies. The lines of non-sparking safety tools and arc welding electrodes have been enlarged. Facilities for precision machining, which were emphasized during the war when the company finish machined aircraft parts to extremely close tolerances, are also maintained and this service continues as an important facility.

STELLITE PLUG GAGES

A study has been made recently by the Cadillac Gage Co., 20316 Hoover Road Detroit 5, on the length of service rendered by the company's Stellite thread plug gages in the plants of armament manufacturers in the gaging of precision parts made of materials varying in their abrasive qualities. This study is said to reveal that Stellite gages have consistently given five to 20 times longer service than the steel gages previously used.

Developed by Cadillac and tested over a period of three years, the Cadillac Stellite Plug Gage, it is claimed, actually reduces gage costs 50% to 85%. Because of its demonstrated economy, a major automotive manufacturer is reported to be changing over its plant to the use of Stellite plug gages exclusively.

The fact that Stellite is an alloy of cobalt, chromium and tungsten, gives it superior properties as a material for in-

spection tools.

Having a lower coefficient of friction, it resists wear more effectively than steel. And, being acid-proof and corrosion-proof, its accuracy is never impaired by moisture or other corrosive agents.

It is also non-magnetic and has an exceptionally low affinity for other materials. Consequently, it makes for easier manipulation in gaging and obviates any tendency of the gage to seize—formerly a common occurrence when steel gages above 1½" in major diameter were used for certain types of gaging.

Cadillac has recently increased its production facilities to include all standard sizes of Stellite thread plug gages from No. 6 to 15" in diameter—also special pitch diameters according to customers' specifications. The company also manufactures a complete range of sizes in steel thread plug and thread ring gages.

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MASSASOIT OFFERS NEW SENSITIVE DRILL

A new, improved design of its Lord & Davis Supersensitive High Speed Drill Press for drilling small diameter holes is announced by Massasoit Machine Corp., of 224 Grove St., Waltham 54, Mass.

Speed of the new model has been increased from 23,000 to 25,000 rpm. A back shaft and idler pulley have been eliminated so that there are fewer moving parts. A lighter chuck with internal taper hole, as well as a spring which raises spindle, are used to make operation of the machine more sensitive. More needle bearings are now used in spindle to increase accuracy.

Main feature of the drill press stressed by the makers is supersensitive operation. A floating spindle, driven by a lightweight woven endless round cotton belt, is operated by a supersensitive feed control lever so that drill may be

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drill breakage and work spoilage are reduced to a minimum and easy operation cuts down operator fatigue and steps up production; maximum accuracy of holes is assured.

The newly redesigned drill press requires only 18"x12" bench space and measures 15\(^{\alpha}\) in overall height. Size of work table is 8"x4\(^{\alpha}\) and maximum feed of drill is \(^{\alpha}\), 4". A 1/5 hp universal motor with a speed of approximately 16,000 rpm is used to give four standard speeds of 7,600, 11,500, 17,400 and 25,000 rpm. Different speeds are obtainable by changing drive pulley size. If greater versatility is required, a rheostat may be used.

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Experience has proven that several fields out of phase with each other will produce a more effective demagnetizing effect than a large constant a-c field. To use a homely illustration, four men standing at the corner of a rug all shaking in unison will not remove dirt as readily as four men at the corners shaking out of step and the rug being subjected to a non-uniform motion.

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This smaller version of the Zephyr 36 has a 16" throat depth and a 10" thickness capacity. Featuring the company's patented speed assembly, the machine has an infinitely variable speed range from 1000 to 5000 fpm.

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Table of the Zephyr 16 is of the tilting type, and there is a disc cutting attachment for making perfect circles, a rip fence, and a mitering attachment for cutting of regular and compound angles. Hardened steel saw guides with roller back-up bearing hold the blade firm for straight true cuts to close tolerance.

Full information is contained in the Zephyr catalog obtainable The DoAll Co., 1301 Washington Ave., So., Minneapolis 4, Minn.

GEAR FINISHER BULLETIN

An improved Model 900 rack type gear finishing machine, which operates on the well-known "Michigan" crossed-axis gear shaving principle, is described in technical bulletin No. 900-44, now obtainable from Michigan Tool Co., 7171 E. Mc-Nichols Road, Detroit 12. The improved 900—said to produce precision gears in mass production at the lowest cost for any gear finishing process—will handle either spur or helical gears from one to 8" pitch diameter, and up to 2" face width. It is also used for finishing involute splines, etc.

Use of the basic rack for finishing gears is reported to assure minimum errors in concentricity, uniformity, spacing and tooth profiles. The normal or base pitch is always correct with this type of machine, it is stated. Operation of the 900 model is so simple that unskilled and semi-skilled help—including women—can be trained to operate machine in a short time. Complete specifications, together with a list of standard and special items, are included in this bulletin.



DUMORE BENCH DRILL

Furthering their steps in peacetime conversion, The Dumore Co., Racine, Wis., announces production of a light-weight, high speed Bench Drill for 1/8" drills and smaller.



It is designed particularly for use in the fabrication of small parts of metal, wood or plastic items and equipment.

Drill head is firmly held in the desired position on the polished solid steel column with a locking device. It rigidly holds the motor in place, yet permits vertical adjustments and a 360° radius of action. The table is mounted in like manner.

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WADE ISSUES BULLETIN

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gaging plugs.
This is the first time that holes of such small diameters as this have been gaged with a Dial Indicator type of gage. Formerly, conventional plug gages had to be used for gaging extremely small holes. With conventional plug gages it was not possible for the inspector to see the various eccentricities of the hole, such as taper, out-of-round, and bellmouth and other defects. The makers emphasize that

with this new small hole gage, these internal defects are immediately recorded on the Indicator Dial. While this Gage (Model 1203-P-1) is

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Zero setting.

Two extra springs and a wrench are part of the set, which comes complete in a strong, compact, velvet-lined wooden case.

SHEFFIELD VISUAL GAGES

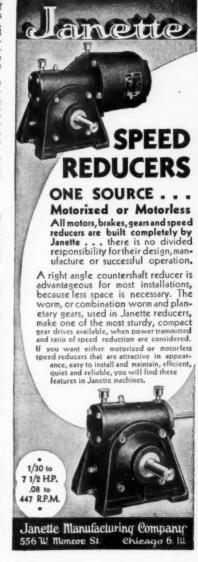
An attractive new catalog illustrating and describing Visual Gages is now being offered by The Sheffield Corp., Dayton 1, Ohio. It shows the various attach-ments which can be used with the Visual Gage, making possible a great number of

different applications.

The Sheffield Visual Gage is an indicating comparator, with either English or metric scale, used for checking external and internal dimensions—width, thick-ness, height, depth, diameter, taper, outof-round, concentricity, the angularity of surfaces or angularity between a bore and a surface, and run-out. It is also widely used for checking the critical elements of screw threads. Six models are magnifications ranging available with from 500 to 1 to 20,000 to 1. The wide range of amplifications provides a means for checking master and production gages, for toolroom work, for checking purchased parts on arrival, for process control and final inspection, and laboratory and research work.

THERMOCOUPLE DATA

Wheelco Instruments Co., Chicago 7, Ill., offers a new edition of its Thermocouple Data Book and Catalog. Containing 32 pages and designated Bulletin S2-6. it gives information on selection of proper thermocouples and carries installation aids. It describes and lists prices and recommendations on thermocouples, thermocouple wire, lead wire, heads, connectors, plug and socket assemblies, insulators, and protecting tubes.



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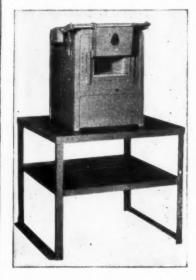
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Cooley Electric Furnaces have been supplied for industrial uses such as heat treating tools, dies and small parts, also for laboratory testing. They are manu-factured in two standard sizes, the MH-3 with chamber dimensions of 8" wide x 6" high x 14" long, and the MH-4 with dimensions of 10" wide x 6" high x 18" long, for continuous operation at 1750° F or intermittent operation at 1850° F. The makers stress that due to unique features of fully protected heating elements which are removable and replaceable when necessary, these furnaces are particularly economical in operation. Heating time to 1400° F is only approximately 40 minutes, while heating time to 1850° F can be accomplished in 55 to 65 minutes. These furnaces are usually operated with an

Indicating Controlling Pyrometer. With this equipment, procedures may be accurately followed.

The furnaces may also be used for other operations, such as drawing, tempering, normalizing, annealing, pre-heating for high-speed hardening, emergency repairs, and experimental testing to established heat treating procedures. They have proven to be time and money savers for heat treating small parts in the die room, making it unnecessary to send the parts out of the plant for heat treating. In addition, they have been used in production lines where it is necessary to heat small parts to facilitate assembly on the production assembly line.

The furnaces are also used as pilots for inexpensive checking of heat processing cycles prior to the actual running of larger loads in big furnaces. This is an inexpensive way of determining various cycles and procedures with specimens and actual parts.

The second new feature is a heavy gauge structural steel stand of welded construction which is now being offered. It serves as a bench for the furnace, providing a shelf for storage space beneath the ample table top area. This stand establishes the furnace at the proper working height with furnace hearth 42" above floor.

YOUNG PRECISION MANDREL

Of interest to tool and machine shops, production and inspection departments is the new "Young" Precision Mandrel with "Roller Clutch Expansion".

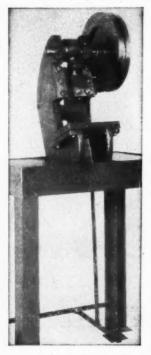
Work placed on the mandrel is locked in place automatically, ready for cutting tool, grinding wheel, deburring or polishing operations. "C" washers, wrenches, or drawbars are unnecessary. When extreme cutting pressure is encountered this merely results in tighter holding of the work. Material worked under heavy pressure releases just as easily and quickly as under a deburring operation. No auxiliary power is required to expand a "Young Mandrel". The makers say it cannot be sprung or damaged under normal uses. It is ruggedly constructed, has interchangeable sleeves and will maintain concentricity in the low ten-thousandths for the entire length of the workpiece; since no arcs or tapers are involved or developed before or after the work is loaded.

An illustrated folder giving complete details is available from the manufacturer; Young Arbor Co., Dept. L, 3257 Bradford Road, Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio.



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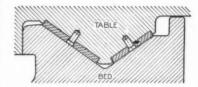


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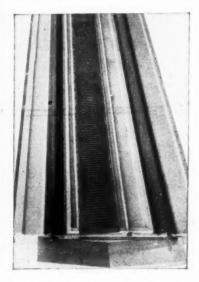
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GRAY NON-METALLIC TABLE WAY

As the accuracy of a machine tool depends upon the accuracy of its guiding ways, the importance of maintaining the ways can hardly be over-emphasized. This point is stressed by the G. A. Gray Co., Cincinnati.



The Gray Non-Metallic Table Way consists of laminated plastic plates secured to the table by laminated plastic pins as shown on the sketch. The laminations of both the plates and the pins are at right angles to the bearing surface. Experience, as well as theoretical considerations, have shown that this is a matter of great importance. Laminated plastic bearings have been used for years by the Navy for stern bearings. They are used for roll neck bearings in steel mills where bear-



ing pressures of thousands of pounds per square inch are encountered. Also, millions of laminated plastic gears have been used as timing gears for automobiles, so that the non-scoring and wear-resistant qualities of laminated plastic are well and thoroly established. The unretouched photo shows a planer table that has been in continuous service day and night for over two years. This planer is used for the heaviest work, and the normal return speed is 380' per minute. Note, that in spite of this excessive service, there is no evidence of any wear.

In addition to the non-scoring and wear resisting qualities so essential for all guiding surfaces, the laminated plastic has another advantage on high speed reciprocating members where the bearing surfaces may be subjected to heavy pressures, namely, its heat insulating quality. This is of particular value on planer tables, for without some form of heat insulation, even a slight temperature rise generated at the vee bearing surfaces is transmitted to the lower plate of the box section table, causing it to expand and curl up at the ends. This curling not only destroys the accuracy of the planer work, but also permits dirt to get under the table vees, and further increases the danger of cutting and scoring. As planer table speeds have very greatly increased

during the last few years, (many now running at 300" per minute) the danger of scoring and curling has greatly increased.

Due to the heat insulating qualities of the laminated plastic plates, practically no heat is transmitted to the metal table. In consequence, the makers assert it is possible to run the tables of Gray Planers with Non-Metallic Ways at any feasible speed without danger of the table curling up at the ends.

HARD-FACING ELECTRODES

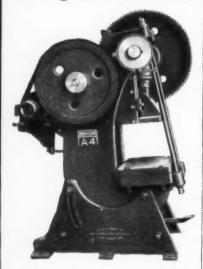
One new and one improved shielded arc electrodes, each of the type designed for specific hard-facing applications, have been announced by The Lincoln Electric Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

"Abrasoweld AC", designated as a hard-facing shielded are electrode, is designed for building up straight carbon steel, low alloy steel or high manganese steel with a self-hardening deposit to resist severe abrasion, battering and impact. Altho specially designed for operation on a-c, it may be used for both the industrial type and small, mass-market type welding machines and d-c.

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alloy which is semi-austenitic and abrasion-resisting, and hardens very rapidly under conditions of impact and abrasion. Moderate peening will increase hardness as deposited from 20-40 Rockwell C to over 50 Rockwell C. The weld metal maintains its toughness and develops its maximum hardness only at the surface where it is cold worked. Thus at all times beneath the surface remains a cushion of softer metal which eliminates checking and flaking so common with abrasion-resisting metal produced by ordinary electrodes. The deposit is said to be more resistant to corrosion than high manganese steel.

The new electrodes are available in $\frac{1}{6}$ ", 5/32" and 3/16" sizes and is furnished in 14" lengths.

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Generally recommended for flat work only, "Manganweld A" electrode produces a flat bead and melts uniformly with minimum spatter. Weld deposit is air-toughening, remaining in austenitic state and retaining carbides in solution even during air cooling. The deposited metal has a resistance to abrasion and impact that is equal to heat-treated cast manganese steel. Weld metal, as deposited, has a hardness 5 to 10 Rockwell C and cold worked, a hardness of 45 to 50 Rockwell C.

"Manganweld A" is recommended for all resurfacing and building up applications of high manganese steel and is sometimes applied only as top beads where an abrasion resisting surface is required.

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COOPER-BESSEMER TOOL HOLDER

A new line of drop-forged lathe turning and cut-off tool holders, embodying a patented feature for holding the cutting bit rigidly in place, is announced by The Cooper-Bessemer Corporation's Industrial Tool Division, Mount Vernon, Ohio.

The new turning tool holders, (Fig. 1 The new turning tool holders, (Fig. 1 Top View), according to Frank Gardner, engineer in charge of this phase of Cooper-Bessemer sales, are forged from a special analysis steel known for its toughness, strength and maximum resistance to wear. The patented feature is a clamping pin which engages the bit for nearly its entire length. It contains for nearly its entire length. It contains two flush-type set screws which lock the tool bit into position with a vise-like grip, preventing any possible slippage.

A dowel holds the clamping pin in position for inserting cutting tool and prevents pin from falling out when bit is removed. (Fig. 2. Center) This dowel is easily removed to permit taking the clamping pin out when necessary.

According to Mr. Gardner, the exclusive design features of these turning tool holders offer these advantages:

1-The tool bit is held rigidly in both vertical and horizontal planes, which is essential for carbide-tipped bits and is desirable for all types of cutting bits.

2-The bit is gripped for nearly its entire length, preventing slippage and creating virtually a solid mass of bit and holder, to dissipate heat.

3-Bits cannot be mutilated by setscrew marks.

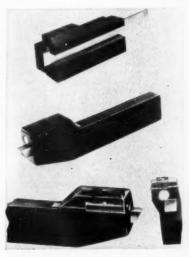
4-Bits as short as they can be ground may be used. They are held firmly in place and supported to the very nose of the holder. Oversize and under-size bits are held equally rigid.

5-Holder channel under bits cannot wear concave. Bits cannot break because of set-screw pressure.

6-Tool bits cannot chatter and they can take heavier cuts with higher speeds and feeds.

7-Roughing and reverse finishing cuts can be made without adjustment of the tool holder.

-The tool bit can be removed for grinding or renewal and replaced in the holder at any desired position without disturbing adjustment of holder in tool



Advantages offered by the new cut-off tool holders (as shown in Fig. 3 Bottom view) are:

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which is accurately machined to a Vgroove at the bottom. Blade is positioned horizontally and parallel to base of holder.

2—Clamping pin engages a considerable portion of the blade, holding it to a true cutting position regardless of side pressure imposed on blade.

3—Pressure is evenly distributed on blade without undue strain at any point.

4—The method of holding permits use of a shorter blade, making possible the use of a greater portion of original blade lengths. This prevents chatter or any undesirable movement of blade, making holder desirable for work requiring close precision.

5—The blade can be taken from the holder and replaced without changing adjustment in tool post.

6—It is being produced for both engine lathes and turret lathes.

These new tool holders augment the company's production of standard carbide-tipped single point tools and car-

bide-tipped face mills, shell end mills and side mills.

In developing its cutting tools, Cooper-Bessemer has had a distinct advantage in being able to use its own plant as a proving ground for nearly all phases of their use.

The demand for Cooper-Bessemer cutting tools has grown tremendously in recent years, Mr. Gardner said, and production which began as more or less of a sideline has now grown into an important phase of the company's production schedule. Main production, however, still centers around the design and manufacture of Diesel engines, gas engines and compressors for the heavy industries and in the marine, railroad and power-producing fields.

MEEHANITE BULLETIN

The Meehanite Metal Corporation Pershing Square Building, New Rochelle, N. Y., has prepared a four-page folder known as Form DM-145, describing typical application case histories including thread gages, upsetting dies and precision machinery. The folder also illustrates other special Meehanite industrial bulletins available. Copies will be sent upon request.

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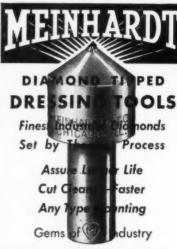
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UNIVERSAL TOOL HOLDER

Designed to speed engine lathe production operations when a series of identical cuts are to be made, the Lane-Wells Type "L" Universal Toolholder consists of a body which fits into the lathe tool post in the conventional manner and detachable heads which hold standard high speed or carbide tipped tool bits.

These compact, sturdy attachments are made in four sizes to fit any engine lathe from 9" to 36" swing. Once the body is fastened in the tool post and the bits adjusted in the detachable heads. it requires



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less than three seconds to change from one tool to another. No machining is necessary to make the attachment fit a lathe and it can be moved from one lathe to another in the shop. Eleven different standard heads are available for boring, turning, facing, forming, drilling, reaming, tapping, etc. Special operation heads can be made from the standard blanks.

Full details are available from Lane-Wells Co., 5649 South Soto St., Los Angeles 11, Calif.

MOTRON SERVOMECHANISM

Servo Model 61-A developed by W. C. Robinette Co., 802 Fair Oaks Ave., South Pasadena, Cal., is a packaged continuous-balance control system of practically infinite sensitivity that can be applied to the automatic control or regulation of a



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The input-dial is mounted on selected precision instrument ball bearings and may be rotated by extremely small forces, such as electrical meter movements, pressure gages, flow gages, nylon or silk filaments, precision weighing balances, miniature motors and repeaters, synchronous electric clocks, wet paper fibres, air vanes, metal bellows and magnetic compass needles.



Input-dial controls either velocity or position of the motor to very accurate limits. Velocity in either direction may be limited from zero to maximum, independent of input-dial setting so that hunting instability can never occur. The motor may actuate any device or mechanism (with 30-75 in-lb torque, 0-29 rpm) that controls the process, state, or condition measured on the input-dial, thus controlling and regulating the process. Alternately the motor may act as a torque amplifier or remote positioning agent. Since motor velocity (not torque) is controlled, load change or complete loss of load cannot cause instability.

The 61 A servo is designed for short time-constant systems and is usually capable of great sensitivity, 15/100 of one percent to 3/100 of one percent. Electronic components are in a replaceable plug-in can for instant servicing.

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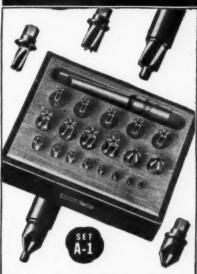
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THE "MILPAL" VISE

Utilizing 90 per cent of the longitudinal capacity of the flat table surface of any machine with "T" slots, the new Porterfield "Milpal" Machine Vise can be adjusted to hold work from zero to maximum capacity of the table.

The "Milpal" Vise

The "Milpal" Vise does not incorporate the usual heavy vise base, but makes use

of the flat table surface of the miller or other machine having a flat table with "T" slots, thus allowing the full vertical capacity for work from table surface to cutting tool, as well as the full length of flat table surface.

Construction of the Vise includes heavy semi-steel castings, heavy ribbing, steel jaws, heavy 1" 6-thread steel lead screw and bronze nut-both running in oil. True alignment is assured by key way in base of Vise riding in "T" slot of machine's flat table. Jaws are operated manually by screw adjustment.



The Vises are manufactured by Porterfield Mfg. Co., 749 East 15th St., Los Angeles 21, Cal., in 5, 7 and 9" Jaw widths, the 5" size fitting "T" slots from 3 to 476" between centers and the 7" vise fitting "T" slots from 4½ to 676" between centers while the 9" size fits "T" slots from 6 to 8½" between centers.

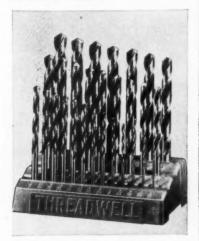
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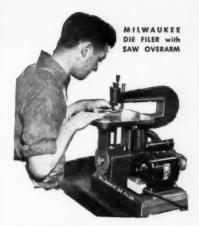


Sets of high speed straight shank drills are offered in sturdy and convenient metal stands, as illustrated, with each size of drill plainly marked on the stand, in jobbers lengths from 1/16 to ½" dia. by 64ths, and in wire gauge sizes from No. 1 to No. 60. Sets are also available in folding metal containers of cadmium plated steel which can be readily carried in tool boxes, etc. The drills are securely held in easy opening compartments on which drill sizes, tap sizes and decimal equivalents are clearly stamped.

Complete information is contained in Threadwell Bulletin No. 435, available on request.

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The machine can also be used as an a-c Generator for operation of small tools, lathes, grinders, etc. This is done by coupling shaft to a gasoline or electric motor and the synchronous motor then becomes an a-c Generator.

ALLOY STEEL ADVICE
T. W. Pennington, Vice President in charge of sales for the Jessop Steel Co., Washington, Pa., announces formation of a new Special Alloy Division to advise users of alloy steels in their reconversion pro-

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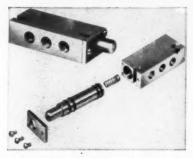
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THREE-WAY PILOT VALVE



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Known as the CRV Pilot Valve, the unit is designed to be used as a 3-way valve, normally either open or closed, or as a 2-way valve, normally open or closed. The valve is compact, being 3¼" overall with the piston fully extended. CRV Valves

are operated, dependent upon the nature of the installation, by hand, foot treadle or cam.

The valves are used to operate air cylinders, air motors, air controls and singleacting cylinders such as those used on air vises, air chucks, etc. The valve may also be used in low-pressure hydraulic control and actuating systems.

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The unit is fully balanced, operating freely under conditions of extreme pressure variation. The valve is normally supplied with 1/8" I. P. T. ports; however, other sized ports or threads may be furnished.

HOLLUP "SELECTRODE CHART"

A Selectrode Chart recently issued by the Hollup Corp., a division of the National Cylinder Gas Co., Chicago, guides electrode users in the choice of the correct electrodes for specific jobs. It tells which electrodes to use, suggests

It tells which electrodes to use, suggests applications, shows currents, positions, physical characteristics, etc.

Included are electrodes recommended for mild, low alloy and stainless steels, non-ferrous and cast iron, surfacing, as well as gas welding rods.

A copy may be had by addressing the Hollup Corp., 4700 W. 19th St., Chicago,



"TOOL-FLEX" TOOL HOLDERS

A line of Tool-Flex Flexible Tool Holders is described in an attractive new four page bulletin issued by Burg Tool Mfg. Co., 6709 S. San Pedro St., Los Angeles 3, Cal. Available in 4 different types (models B, C, D, and E) the line provides a tool holder for every service regardless of the type shank or collet required.

These Neoprene mounted, positive drive flexible tool holders are designed to correct misalignment, cut set-up costs, re-duce tool breakage, eliminate chatter and bell mouthing and reduce rejects. In-tended for every type of second opera-tion job these holders are especially adapted for the turrets of automatic or hand screw machines, engine lathes, tap-ping machines, radial drill presses, multimatics, drill presses and portables.

These versatile tool holders are especially useful in tapping operations due to the flexibility and resilience of the Neoprene mountings. Tool-Flex is claimed to keep tap breakage at a minimum and taps are always centered. Wherever excessive wear is encountered on lead screws of tapping machines this can be relieved by the use of Tool-Flex Holders. Shocks are absorbed by the

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The makers emphasize that in reaming operations it is important that reamers



be allowed to float, which is accomplished by the Neoprene mounting.

Tool-Flex Holders consist of but four parts. All metal parts are of alloy steel, heat treated and finished to close toler-ances. The holders provide positive drive plus the flexibility of Neoprene and the Neoprene is oil resistant. The illustration shows the model B straight shank, straight collet holder.

WELDED FABRICATION

A new engineering manual entitled, "Tailoring in Metal," is offered by the United Welding Co., Middletown, O. It discusses factors affecting the choice of

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PORTER 3100 Enyort Ave., Oakley, Cincinnati, O. welded fabrication and techniques of welded design. Purpose of the manual is to help engineers and designers decide for themselves if fabrication by welding and the materials made available by this method are applicable to the problem. The factors involved in a decision are cost, weight, strength, appearance, stability, noise, quality and delivery.

Various types of welds are explained and how they affect static and fatigue load values. Of particular interest to the designer is specific information about devices that can be employed to reduce cost and improve construction. The text is profusely illustrated with drawings and

photographs.

Altho written particularly for manufacturers of machinery and equipment, the manual is interesting to everyone involved in shop maintenance, because of the application of welding to such fabrications as gear blanks, pulleys, tanks, casings, housings, frames, breechings and stacks. Copies of the manual are available from United Welding.

GRIPCO LOCKNUT

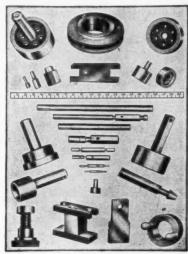
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A. M. Sargent, Pioneer Engineering Co., Detroit, was elected President of the American Society of Tool Engineers at the annual meeting of the Board of Directors, succeeding C. V. Briner of Pipe Machinery Co., Cleveland.



W. B. Peirce, First Vice President

Mr. Sargent is succeeded as First Vice-President by W. B. Peirce, Vice-Presi-dent, Flannery Nut & Bolt Co., St. Louis, Mo., and formerly 2nd Vice-President.

Elected 2nd Vice-President was T. P.

Orchard, General Manager, American Tool Engineering Co., New York, N. Y.

Irwin F. Holland, General Superintendent, Small Tool and Gage Department, Pratt & Whitney Division, Niles-Bement-Pond Co., Hartford, Conn., and formerly Chairman of the Society's Constitution



H. C. Conrad, Executive Secretary



R. B. Douglas, National Secretary

and By-Laws Committee was named third Vice-President.

R. B. Douglas, Works Manager, Propeller Division Canadian Car & Foundry Co., Ltd., Montreal, Quebec, and regional Director from Eastern Canada, was named National Secretary of the Society.



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V. H. Ericson, Vice-President Johnson de Vou, Inc., Boston, Mass., was elected Treasurer, with W. Dawson, F. F. Barber Machinery Co., Ltd., re-elected as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

Harry E. Conrad was re-elected Executive Secretary. In its first meeting under the Society's new constitution, the House of Delegates elected these Directors: — A. J. Denis, President. Brectors: — A. J. Denis, President. Murphy-Denis Corp., Los Angeles, Calif.; R. B. Douglas; Irwin F. Holland; Thomas P. Orchard; W. B. Peirce; A. M. Sargent; A. M. Schmit, General Manager, A. M. Schmit Co., Toledo, Ohio; Grant S. Wilcox, Jr., Assistant Master Mechanic, Plymouth Division Chrysler Corp., Detroit; C. B. Cole, Owner, Tool Equipment Sales Co., Chicago; and A. G. Collins, Chief Industrial Engineer, Hughes Tool Co., Houston, Tex.

Houston, Texas was selected as the site for the 1947 annual meeting of the Society.

GOTHARD INDICATOR LIGHTS

Catalog No. 46, issued by Gothard Mfg. Co., 2110 Clear Lake Ave., Springfield, Ill., lists and illustrates a large variety of Indicator Light Assemblies for panel board and instrument signaling. Specimens of assemblies built to order indicate another service field of the company. Several pages of text give scientific data on pilot lights, lens colors and polarized light.





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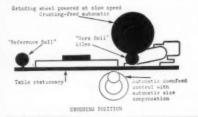
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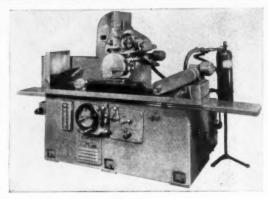
Two master rolls are now provided on Thompson Truform Grinders which speed the production of precision flat form contours.

One roll, the "work roll", does the initial crushing and truing. A second roll, the "reference roll", spindle mounted on the opposite end of table, is used for touching up wheel and correcting form loss.

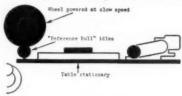
The grinding wheel, which has been touched up on the "reference roll", is run at grinding speed against the "work roll", thus re-processing it right on the machine without disturbing the set-up or removing anything.

By this means, the "work roll" can be re-ground whenever it loses form and can be used for hundreds of additional dressings, or until it is worn out. Dupli-cate master rolls can be ground in the same manner before production is started.





For example:—on a modified buttress thread form which had an eight pitch form, a single master crushing roll provided only 125 dressings before the roll



TOUCHING-UP POSITION

had to be re-processed. Where two master rolls are used in the Truforming process, it was possible to obtain more than 15,000 dressings from the "work crushing roll" before it was worn out. . . . or an in-

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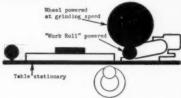
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REPROCESSING POSITION

Thus, on a simple flat form contour, working four pieces up and obtaining a production of 56 pieces between dressings, 250,000 pieces could be finished from a single "work roll" without disturbing the set-up.

The makers report that Thompson Truform Grinders speeded and improved the production of precision contours for the rotor blade root of roto-jet aircraft engines.

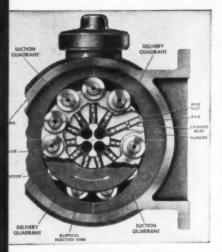
A new 8-page bulletin issued by the Thompson Grinder Co., Inc., Springfield, O., gives full information.

M-G-C PRODUCTS FOLDER

Motor Generator Corp., Troy, O., a division of the Hobart Bros. Co., has released a brochure covering a preview of the MGC products that are being offered for post-war sales. It includes new equipment developed during the war years 1941-45. Items illustrated are for application to high-voltage MG sets, battery charging, waste recovery, metal coloring and finishing, electroplating, materials handling and buffers and grinders.







SUPERDRAULIC PUMPS

Superdraulic Pumps of simple, compact design, in models light enough for a man to handle, with a continuous duty development of 5,000 psi and 40 hp, delivers 0 to 17 gpm at 1200 rpm. According to the makers, specifically and in detail the Superdraulic Pump:

1—Generates the desired tonnage for hydraulic presses and cylinder actuated machinery without aid of prohibitively large and expensive cylinder assemblies.

2—Provides a single source of high pressure and high volume which in many circuits eliminates cost and complication of a double pump arrangement.

3—Provides a long needed instrument for the field of hydraulic production test equipment, also for experimental test equipment field.

4—Eliminates necessity of employing costly and cumbersome intensifiers and accumulators (with all of their attendant disadvantages) in hydraulic circuits up to 5,000 psi.

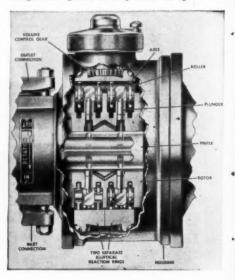
5—Will give birth to new hydraulic products dependent upon compact hydraulic generators of extreme pressure and high volume such as fully hydraulic drives for the Automotive, Railroad and Marine fields... and these high pressures are particularly significant to the Petroleum, Diesel and Plastics industries too.

6—Supplied in two models—Constant or Variable delivery types—completely adaptable.

The Pump is a radial type plunger pump arranged so that centrifugal force maintains plunger rollers in contact with an elliptical reaction ring. Plungers are fitted to cylinders in a rotor in one or more banks of 11 plungers per bank. The rotor turns on a fixed pintle which has suitable ducts and ports for directing the oil inlet into those cylinders passing thru two opposite quadrants and also for directing oil delivery out of those cylinders passing thru the other two opposite quadrants.

Each plunger makes two inlet and two delivery strokes per revolution. A sturdy equalizing axle, journaling a roller at each end, is universally attached to outer end of each plunger. This construction provides ample bearing areas for plunger load components exerted radially and rotatively on axle bearing surfaces and insures zero side loading of plunger.

In variable delivery pumps, two banks of 11 plungers each are arranged in a single rotor. Plungers in the two banks are arranged in parallel relation. Each pair of parallel cylinders is in open communication by means of a drilled passage in rotor. Plunger rollers, of each bank, roll against a separate elliptical reaction ring. These reaction rings are rotatably mounted in pump housing and are geared together so they rotate in op-



posite directions in response to rotation of the volume control gear.

At full delivery, major axes of the elliptical reaction rings are parallel and at zero delivery, major axes are 90° apart. Under the latter condition, the net delivery stroke is zero, since displacement, of the plungers moving radially outwardly, exactly equals the displacement, of plungers moving radially inwardly, in both delivery quadrants and both suction quadrants.

As the angle between the major axes is reduced from 90°, the net plunger displacement increases. When this angle becomes 0°, the major axes are parallel and both plungers of a pair of parallel plungers reciprocate in phase thru full delivery and suction strokes.

Provision is made for a simple spring type plunger return. This is to insure plungers return when pumps are operated below the speed at which centrifugal force is adequate (approx, 100 rpm). Variable delivery pumps are equipped with any one of a number of different type volume controls which are interchangeably mounted on pump. The sensitive manual dial type control may be mounted on either side of pump. The surge-proof balance pressure compensator is constructed to mount on either side of pump with a volume dial indicator mounted on side opposite pressure compensator.

Plunger reaction loads exerted on the elliptical reaction rings are balanced thru the volume control gear, the torque of one reaction ring balancing that of the other. Thus light and sensitive manual or automatic pressure and volume controls can be interchangeably employed.

A small oil circulating pump is incorporated for the purpose of circulating oil under near zero pressure direct from the oil tank thru the pump housing and back to the tank. This insures sufficiently low pump housing temperatures of the variable delivery pump under the con-



dition of extreme pressure operation at zero or near zero delivery.

CARBOLOY MASONRY TOOLS

A line of Carboloy cemented carbide tipped and faced masonry tools recently introduced by a Detroit organization is reported to be giving excellent results. The development had its inception when Ralph Gwinn, a brick mason asked his son Myron, who worked at Carboloy Co., Inc., to consult the company regarding the troubles he had with his regular tools—involving frequent sharpenings, etc.

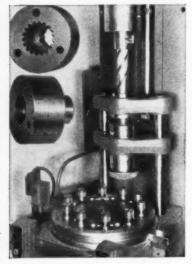
A set of masonry tools, comprising a scutch to trim bricks, a brick hammer, with Carboloy metal on both hammer head and cutting edge, a tile setter hammer, and a 3" brick set used to cut glazed brick were tipped with Carboloy, and ground to shape.

The results, according to Gwinn were so surprising that—after a month with not a tool requiring sharpening—the Gwinns decided to go into the manufacture of Carboloy tools for the masonry trade. The business is reported to be flourishing.

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BROACHING BLIND HOLES



An ingenious and effective use of broaching where at first glance its applicability seems out of the question is illustrated in an installation recently completed by Colonial Broach Co., Detroit. The job involves production of helical splines in a blind hole in a transmission part, the design being such that the tool cannot pass thru the work. (The parts are shown in the inserts in upper left.) Theoretically, therefore, broaching could not be used. However, the use of broaching with its advantages of combined precision and high output, was made possible by simply undercutting a

recess beyond the section of the part to be splined (for broach clearance at end of the cut). Ten short broaches—each with five sets of cutting teeth—are used in place of a single long broach. Further, instead of actuating the broaches, the part is held in the moving ram head, the latter being equipped with a master lead bar actuated by movement of the ram. The broaches are mounted on an indexing table (hydraulically actuated).

Machine cycle is completely automatic. The operator merely loads the part and pushes a button. The ram moves down pushing the part over the first broach. The ram returns and stops. The table automatically indexes to the next station. The cycle then repeats automatically until the part is finished at which time the machine stops for reloading.

The part, of course, is stripped off the broach on each return stroke. Obviously, also, broaches must be exactly spaced and located so that the teeth of the different broaches will track each other as they progressively cut the spline to finished size and shape. With this arrangement the cutting effect of the 10 short broaches is the same as if a single long broach were used.

DoALL GAGE BLOCKS

A new and different gage block has been introduced by the DoALL Co., Minneapolis, Minn. which is said to extend use and application of gage blocks; increase wearing qualities and permit the average person to use the gage blocks without difficulty.

These advantages are made possible by the use of DoALLoy, a wear-resistant alloy having expansion characteristics similar to steel. Life of this new block is said to be 60 times that of steel blocks and 20 times the life of chrome-plated blocks.



Heretofore, it has been impractical to use wear-resistant materials for gage blocks, for they were only accurate at 68° and therefore could not be used except in a temperature-controlled room. These high abrasive-resistant gage blocks can be used under any temperature conditions, in the shop, tool room or inspection department.

The blocks are accurate for dimension, flatness and parallelism and are said to be more accurate than the standards set up by the National Bureau of Standards. The surface finish averages .5 rms and has a bright silvery appearance.

They will remain flat under severe temperature changes, it is claimed, and will retain their accuracies even tho subjected to temperatures of 120° below zero to 500° above zero. In addition to the improved heat treatments thru which these blocks are carried, they are also subjected to a DoALL stability treatment, being frozen to subzero temperatures and then heated thru a series of cycles.

All blocks whose dimensions are 250" or smaller are of solid DoALLoy. Blocks from .300" and larger are faced with DoALLoy on their wear surfaces. This



face is fused to the steel core in such a manner that it is impossible to separate them.

The blocks are said to be extremely acid-resistant and will not discolor when subjected to many of the acids ordinarily encountered in production. Steel cores of the faced blocks are chemically treated, leaving a jet black finish, which penetrates the surface. This surface is extremely hard and will stand an unusual amount of wear, and will not rust.





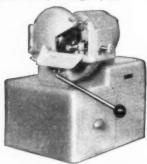
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BUEHLER CUT-OFF MACHINE

A new one hp abrasive cut-off machine is announced by Buehler Ltd., makers of metallurgical laboratory equipment. This cutter. No. 1015, is designed to fill the need for a high grade cut-off machine at a moderate price. It is a table mounted model, occupies small space, yet is capa-ble of cutting metal samples up to 1" stock. Coolant is supplied by a recirculating tank No. 1016, placed on the floor with hose connections to cutter.

While designed primarily for the metallurgical laboratory, this cutter is also adaptable to general industrial use where precision and accuracy are required in abrasive cutting. The manufacturer, Buehler, Ltd., is located at 165 West Wacker Drive, Chicago 1, Ill.



REDMER 31/2" CHUCK

Redmer Air Devices Corp., 608 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago 6, Ill., announces a new model to be known as the No. 4. It will have a collet capacity of 31/2" and will use a special type 3½" master collet. Various size pads can be had to reduce the hole diameter to the desired size.

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The same principle is used as in other models, in that collet remains stationary; the opening and closing being controlled by the sleeve. By this method, depth of the work can be controlled even tho there are variations in diameter of the work to be held as there is no up or down movement of collet.

COLES LIVE CENTERS

Old-fashioned dead centers work nard under modern carbide cutting speeds. Since these higher speeds are a "must" in production schedules, the answer is live centers.

To meet this situation, Coles Live Centers are offered by The Raymond Corp., 412-A Republic Bldg., Cleveland 15. Ohio. They point out that in practically all types of machining between centers, the greatest load exerted is thrust load, which ranges up to approximately 800 pounds. This pressure multiplies sometimes two or three times as the stock is cut from the bar and the heat generated causes the stock to lengthen axially. Dead centers and even some types of live centers fail under these conditions. It is claimed that the Coles Model 100 Heavy Duty Live Center will more than withstand such pressures.

A full length rotating center point is provided to minimize chatter and sway at point of contact. This rotating center extends deep into the shank of the housing, thus allowing more material to absorb chatter and using the farthest possible bearing point to eliminate side sway.

The alloy steel rotating center point is hardened to 62-65 Rockwell for greater wear resistance. Every live center is guaranteed to have true concentricity within .0002".

These Centers are provided with a matched set of Duplex ball bearings in the heads. The bearings take the full radial load with minimum friction and wear. Since these double row bearings are assembled in a tandem position, the maximum thrust and radial capacity are obtained.

A thrust compensator is provided which allows rotating point to move backwards when the thrust pounds multiply and danger of overloading becomes a factor. Deep in the shank is the bearing that stops side sway in the point. This is a stationary Oilite bearing with excellent wearing qualities. Permanent dust and oil seals keep foreign matter out and lubricant in. No need to oil since Coles Live Centers are lubricated for life.

Shanks are ground to standard sizes plus or minus .0005" tolerance giving absolute bearing surface for the entire length of the shanks. They are hardened to 55-60 Rockwell, eliminating the chance of scars which cause misalignment. A bulletin gives full details.

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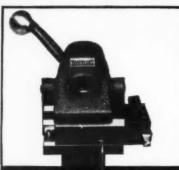
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The Gaging Spindle and Anvil are identical pieces having a T-C Gaging Tip with .020" radius. The Backstop is a T-C Vee located in the Anvil Fixture with provision for both vertical and horizontal adjustment.

The indicating meter can be graduated "tenths", "half-tenths" or "hundredths", to meet any inspection require-



WET BELT MACHINING FILM

A new film on the Wet Belt Machining Method of surfacing, grinding and stock removal is now available to engineers, design and production executives, planning and methods engineers, tool room and die room foremen and all other interested members of the metal industry. The film is sent free upon request for private or group showing.

The film is a 16 mm sound, black and

white visual presentation entitled, "A Machine of the Age". It can be projected from any standard 16 mm machine...

running time, 11 minutes.

It traces development and perfection of the Wet Belt Machining Method from its earliest Dry Belt forerunners to its acceptance as a machine tool used on production orders running into hundreds of thousand pieces as well as its application on single piece operations in tool and die rooms, repair and maintenance and other departments. Case histories of savings and increased production resulting from this method are presented.

The film shows how surfacing, grinding and stock removal operations are performed. It is complete with technical information on amount of stock removable, kind of finish attainable and tolerances held on such various materials as: ferrous and non-ferrous metals, glass, plastics, wood and ceramics.

This visual presentation shows:—removing risers, flashings and parting lines from cast materials; surfacing large, flat areas to close tolerance; chamfering, edging, squaring, rounding and cutting radii on single piece operations. The Automatic Feed Table, supplying mechanical pressure for hand pressure and with which .005" tolerance is attainable, is visually presented.

The film is obtained at no cost except return postage, from the Porter-Cable Machine Co., 300-2 Exchange St., Syracuse, 8 N. Y.

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Mead Specialties Co., 4114 N. Knox Ave., Chicago 41, Ill., announces a new air power unit, known as the Impact Air

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MAGNETIC CHUCK FACTS

A new 18-page brochure describes in detail the complete line of Hermeti-Coil Electro-Magnetic Chucks manufactured by the Hanchett Mfg. Co., Big Rapids,

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Just off the press, this bulletin carries latest information on the application of magnetic chucking to a wide range of work under all conditions. Several pages are devoted to illustrations of actual setups to aid the production men in visualizing this method of work-holding as applied to their own machining problems. It is one of the most comprehensive cat-



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LIVE CENTERS

A new four page catalog completely describing "Engineered" Live Centers, has been released by Sturdimatic Tool Co., 5220 Third Ave., Detroit 2, Mich. It gives specifications and prices of the Standards which are made with Morse taper and also includes three types of Specials. More than 40 other Specials are illustrated in this literature which were "Engineered" for some specific purpose metal working operation. Characterpose metal working operation. Characteristic of the design of all Sturdimatic Live Centers is a low overhang and a slight cushioning action. . . that compensates for expansion due to heat, shock and excessive thrust loads—reducing wear to a minimum. Large thrust bearing takes all thrust load, large radial bearing takes only radial load.

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A new, midget-type spring jig is now offered by the Siewek Tool Division of Domestic Industries, Inc., 231 So. La Salle St., Chicago, Ill. It was developed to fill a long felt need for a small, lightweight jig for handling many small items including radio parts, electrical devices and a large variety of other small parts.

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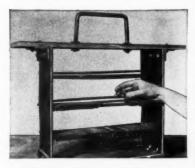
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However, there are many other in-stances in which small drills are incorporated directly into the hole saws or

other cutters, the arrangement being such that drills extend beyond the hole cutters prop-er. Thus, the drills enter the material to a considerable depth before the hole cutters engage, supporting them properly, and doing the complete job in one operation.

One popular hole saw is provided with a center drill having a very siz-able shank. To this shank is attached a cup-type member, by means of set-screws. This cup-type member holds a piece of saw steel in cylindrical form.

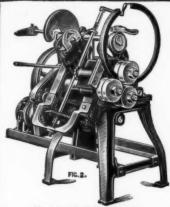
The lower end of this cylindrical member has saw teeth on it, arranged in perfect concentricity with the cup member, and with the drill.

A compression spring encircles the center drill, and this, bearing against the work is forced into compression as the hole saw penetrates the work. After cutting thru the

metal, as the hole saw retreats, the compression spring reacts, to force the "washer" off of the center drill, thus clearing the tool for the next operation.

The word "washer" was used in the However, there are tools of this general type that have been developed for the production of both holes and usable washers, as the need may arise.

One tool of this kind has two wing bars, extending out from the sides of the main tool body. Two separate cutting tools are made adjustable on these wing bars, for cutting different diameters of holes and washers.



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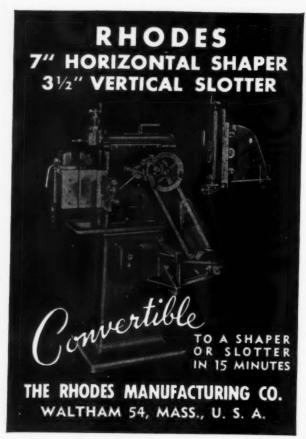
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points in order to do the straightening. The head on one such press has a 9" stroke.

Very much the same idea is incorporated into hydraulic press-es used for straightening short, hard-ened steel shafts. On e hydraulic press of this kind has a capacity of 15 tons. It is equipped with special gauges and centers, to enable the operator to find just where the pressure points are, for straightening. Further, this equipment reveals exactly how much straightening has to be done, in thousandths of an inch, and does the straightening. with full control. It is subject to modification for straightening other kinds of work also.

Many times, products are made either wholly or in part from wire. Since the wire used is taken from coils, a straightening

operation on it is necessary. To facilitate production, machines have been devised and put into use which will take wire from a coil, straighten it, and cut it into pre-determined lengths, all in the same operation.

On one machine of this kind, as the wire is drawn from a coil at the left-hand end of the unit, it passes thru a set of rough-straightening rolls, then on thru a finish-straightening head, then on in between a double pair of feed rolls.

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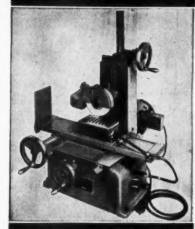
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SPRINGS

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That is why manufacturers handling a considerable number of springs and similar small products favor hardening furnaces which protect the parts against

scaling. Some of these furnaces are designed in such manner that the parts are charged directly from the furnace chamber into a quench tank below. This method eliminates an intermediexposure the heated parts to air, while they are being quenched.

Many manufacturers, of course, have found it advantageous to purch as e their springs, in view of the fact that there are many adequate sources of supply. Springs for special purposes may be obtained quite readily.

Helical die springs, as a case in point, are provided by different manufacturers, in complete lines, to fill any die-making specifications. Die springs designed for high deflection at medium pressure, for medium deflection at high pressure, or those in between, are readily obtainable. Trin springs

of phosphor bronze, which have long life, can also be obtained quite readily.

How about the shop which is always needing springs of one kind or another, but in such small quantities that it is a nuisance to depend on outside sources of supply? Many firms of this type depend quite largely on spring winders.

One line of spring winders comprises three different models. One of these will handle wire up to 3/32"; another all sizes up to 3/16", and the third all sizes up to 5/16". One can wind extension, compression, torsion, taper, double taper or left hand springs with these tools, so it is little wonder that they are popular.

FEDERAL "CUSHIONED MOVEMENT"

A new shock absorbing mechanism termed "Cushioned Movement" has been built into their Dial Indicators by Federal Products Corp., 1144 Eddy St., Providence 1, R. I.



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It is reported that ample use in the field under diverse trying conditions, has already fully demonstrated the economic value and practicability of this new "Cushioned Movement". In one instance a user checks the depth of over 40,000 fuse parts per day without trouble or repairs on the Indicator. In another case, one Indicator was in constant use for 16 hours a day, 6 days a week, under what was referred to as "very abusive" treatment. Careful examination following this use showed that all mechanical parts of the Indicator were in perfect condition with its repetitive accuracy unimpaired.

All regular Improved Movement Federal Indicators having A.G.D. range in C, D & E sizes (English Dials) and P, Q & R sizes (Metric Dials) can now be furnished with the new 'Cushioned Movement'. The exceptions to this are models E3BS and Q6IS.

Regular Federal Dial Indicators now in use (with the exception of the B sizes) may be returned to Federal for the purpose of installing the new "Cushioned Movement", at a nominal cost.

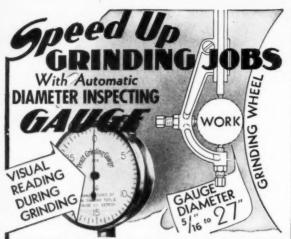
CUTTER LIFE EXPANDED

A more than 60% increase in the number of sizes of "Detroit Standard" thread milling cutters carried in stock ready for thread grinding to customers' specifications is announced by Detroit Tap & Tool Co., 8432 Butler Ave., Detroit 11, Mich. The standard cutters now available include 12 new shell type cutters, making a total of 52 shell type standards; and 20 new shank type cutters, making a total of 32 shank type standards. All of the new shank type cutters are available in either Jarno, Morse, or B. & S. tapers, as are the original standards.

The expanded line of standards represent largely additional sizes as to width of cutter face and diameter. These now permit users to select standard cutters of either the exact size or so close as to enable economical substitution for all major thread milling operations. The shell type cutters currently carried in stock in blank form range from 1½" in diameter and ½" face width, running in ¼" steps from the 1½" diameter to the 2½" diameter inclusive and by ½" steps above the 2½" diameter. The shank type cutters range from ¾" diameter and ¾" face width to 1½" diameter and 1½" face width in ½" steps.

To illustrate the range of cutters now available as "standard" there are for instance, 12 types of 2½" diameter shell type cutters with face width of from ¾ to 2½ inches. Each of these is available either topping or non topping, with full length threads or with plain milling portions at either or both ends.

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CRANKSHAFT OPERATIONS

The time-honored method of producing crankshafts is to forge them roughly to shape before machining them, tho other methods of production are also used. Forging equipment particularly suited for use in forming crankshaft blanks is available. Also, crankshaft forgings, as such, are to be had from a large number of manufacturers. In many cases, crankshaft forgings are purchased by the manufacturers, and machined to the required dimensions in their own plants.

The fact cannot be ignored that of re-

cent years, crankshafts have been cast

in some places, using high test alloy iron for the purpose. Cast crankshafts have proven entirely practical within limits.

How far the practice of casting crankshafts will go in the future re-mains to be seen. Far less metal must be removed in the machining operations, where cast crankshafts are used, than where they are block-forged from ingots.

Various machining operations, tests made on machined crankshafts, and other aspects of crank-shaft production are highly interesting. There are, of course, special crankshaft lathes in use in many places. The bearing seats on crankshafts must be highly accurate, and it is quite common practice to test them with dial indicators. A complication arises here, in the case of crankshafts having

their throws posi-tioned quite close together, since the body of the ordinary dial indicator will not enter in between the throws. However, indicators are made by some firms, which have dial diameters of only 134", designed especially for getting into tight places. These are often used for testing.

Special grinding operations are encountered on crankshaft jobs, in addition to the regular grinding. In one instance, it was necessary to grind the cheek face of a single-throw crankshaft, square with the shaft axis, to receive a counterweight. For this, a special fixture was provided on a rotary surface grinder.

ANDERSON HYDRAULIC PRESS WITH TRAVELING RAM

To facilitate loading of neavy work in straightening presses, Anderson Bros. Mfg. Co., Rockford, Ill., have developed a new power hydraulic press.

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Capacity of this particular press is 50 tons or 100,000 pounds which is the maximum size manufactured.

Hydraulic unit is manufactured by the John S. Barnes Corp., Rockford, Ill., and was designed especially for this particular

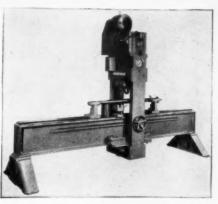
straightening press.

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SUTTON COLLET CATALOG

Sutton Collets and Feed Fingers for automatic and hand screw machines, lathes and milling machines are illus-trated and described in the new 2-color 28 page Catalog No. 16 just published by The Sutton Tool Co., Sturgis, Mich.

Specifications and prices are listed for each size of round, square, or hex and master collet, and solid and super feeders. Illustrations are included of each type collet and feeder. Sutton full floating collets for hot and cold rolled stock are described showing details of interchangeable and replaceable diamond-serrated jaws. Likewise cited are the advantages



of the Sutton Super Feeder such as the compressed spring principle permitting equalized and direct gripping pressure.

Sutton Collets feature the diamond grip action designed to give a tighter grip with less chucking strain and less wear on the Collet, reducing spoilage due to slipping.

ALCO REVOLVING STOP

A new Revolving Stop for automatic Screw machines has just been added to the ALCO line of tools for the screw machine industry. So many screw machine departments were making their own stationary stops which were not efficient and were marring ends of the work because of the extreme friction created, that Alco engineers were asked to design a less expensive and more efficient tool for the purpose.

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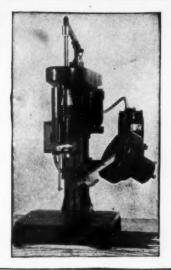
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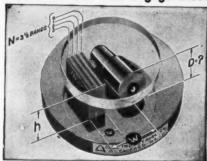
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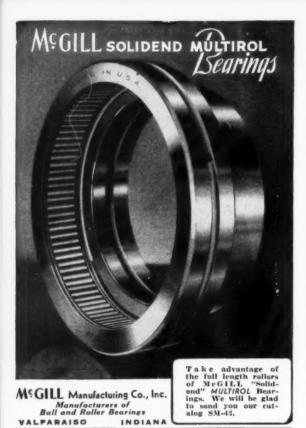
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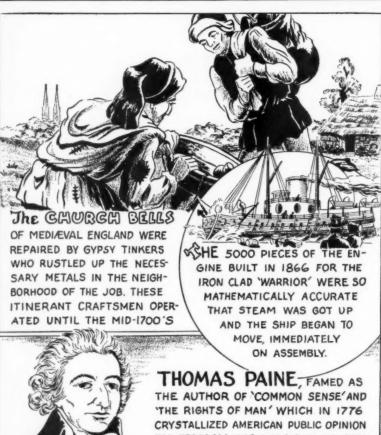
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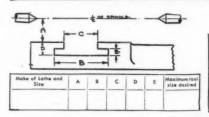


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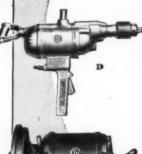
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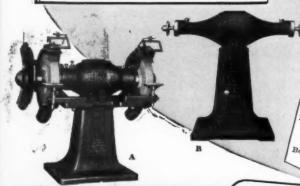
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